WEATHER FORECASTS

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Vancouver and Vicinity—Fresh northwest winds; fair, and warmer.
West Coast—Fresh northwest winds; mostly fair, and somewhat warmer.

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BRITISH HALT GERMAN DRIVE ON LOUVAIN

FRENCH CLEARING UP POCKET CREATED BY NAZIS ACROSS MEUSE

German Break-Through in Front of Maginot Line Hinge Halted, With Defenders "Masters of Situation"—Thousands of Warplanes And Tanks Engage in Battle

PARIS, May 16 (AP).—The French Government extended the army zone to include Paris tonight, while Allied warplanes were smothering Germany's attempted lightning war in a vast struggle of modern machinery on the fringe of France.

The decree means control of the capital is transferred from civilian to military authorities.

Hard-fighting French troops halted the German break-through in front of the Maginot Line's "hinge" at the Belgian-French-Luxembourg border and began clearing up the "pocket" created by the Nazis across the Meuse River.

MASTERS OF SITUATION

The general in immediate command of the sector north of Sedan where the Germans broke through, reported to headquarters that the French were "masters of the situation" and would regain complete control of their front within a week.

In a reassuring broadcast to the nation, Premier Reynaud summarized the situation in Northern France in this brief sentence:

"The enemy has succeeded only in crossing the Meuse and opening

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Royal Commission Recommendations Outlined in Brief

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP).—Following are outstanding recommendations in the report of the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial Relations made public today, details of which appear on page twelve.

1. Dominion Government to assume entire responsibility for unemployment relief for employables.

2. Dominion to assume entire provincial (but not municipal) debt.

3. Provinces to withdraw from income, inheritance and corporation tax fields, and surrender all present subsidies.

4. Dominion to respect remaining revenue sources of provinces.

5. National adjustment grants to be paid annually to provinces, according to need, to maintain national average services without excessive taxation. Emergency grants would be used to deal with abnormal conditions.

FUTURE BORROWING

6. Future provincial and municipal borrowing in Canadian funds only. Provinces still to borrow on own credit or, if loans approved by Dominion Finance Commission, on credit of Canada.

7. No control of provincial expenditures. "Real provincial autonomy" in local matters. Greater provincial control over municipal finances advised.

8. Broadening of income tax base increasing burden on lower and middle brackets and increasing succession duties. Progressive elimination of sales tax.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE

9. Dominion jurisdiction over unemployment insurance, basic hours and wages and a national employment service. All welfare services but relief would remain with provinces.

10. General review of freight rates urged. No opinion on railway amalgamation, as outside scope. Dire dangers of uncontrolled rail-highway rivalry pointed out.

11. Regular Dominion-Provincial conferences to be held, with a permanent Dominion secretariat.

12. Merger of Prairie Provinces and merger of Maritime Provinces held of small gain, even if possible.

DECLARING WAR LEAST COSTLY

New York Paper Makes Unequivocal Appeal for Direct Action

NEW YORK, May 16 (CP).—The New York Herald Tribune said today that "it is quite probable" the least costly solution for the United States against the eventuality of a Hitler victory "would be to declare war on Germany at once."

In a lengthy editorial entitled "What Real Preparedness Means" the newspaper said the invasion of the Low Countries "has blasted two tremendous facts into the American consciousness with a vividness and immediacy not achieved by all the ghastliness of the last months and years."

"The first fact," the editorial said, "is that Germany may win this war," and the second is that "the German war machine is a thing as powerful as it is hideous." After outlining German methods of warfare, use of treachery, espionage and "Trojan horse" tactics, The Herald Tribune said the only opposition to the Nazi machine is force—"Force having every ounce of national energy, unity and resolve behind it."

Warning against the United States shutting its eyes to these facts, The Herald Tribune went on:

"Our actual contribution for many months could be only in the gift of airplanes and goods—that is about all we now have to contribute. If we could tip the scales with that much and so save European culture and world economy from the appalling disaster and chaos of a Hitler victory it would be many times worth it. If not, if Hitler wins anyway in a few months, we would be little worse off than we are now."

Swiss Plane Shoots Down Nazi Bomber

ZURICH, Switzerland, May 16 (AP).—Emphasizing with machine-gun fire Swiss determination to keep their territory inviolate, a Swiss fighting plane today shot down a German bomber which strayed across the line. One member of the German crew was wounded.

The Swiss plane machine-gunned the bomber and forced it to land in a field northeast of Zurich. The two uninjured members of the crew burned their plane and surrendered.

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TRADE COMMISSIONER IS GIVEN NEW POST

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP). — H. A. Scott, trade commissioner in the Trade and Commerce Department here, has been appointed secretary of the supervisory board of the British Commonwealth air training plan. This was disclosed in an order in council tabled in Parliament today.

The order, dated March 19, authorized a salary of $4,980 and an annual living allowance of $1,000. Mr. Scott is on loan to the board from his department.

Fighting Fires in the Belgian Capital

Aftermath of a German Bombing Raid in Brussels, Capital of Belgium, Are Many Fires, One of Which Is Pictured Being Doused by Firemen. All Available Help Has Been Mustered in the Capital.

BIG DEFENCE FUND SOUGHT

Roosevelt Proposes Billion-Dollar Programme and 50,000 Planes

WASHINGTON, May 16 (CP).—President Roosevelt warned a joint session of Congress and the United States today that unprepared nations find "themselves overrun by the enemy," and proposed a $1,182,000,000 programme to make "our defences invulnerable, our security absolute."

He called for planes, and more planes—for the expansion of the country's capacity to produce aircraft until 50,000 can be turned out annually, and until an actual armada of 50,000 fighting planes is ready to "meet any lightning offensive against our American interest."

The sum that he proposed will push next fiscal year's defence spending and contract authorizations to $3,276,000,000—by far the largest in the peacetime history of the United States.

IS CHEERED LOUDLY

A Congress, tense with realization of the sweep of events abroad, heard the President, cheered him as he has seldom been cheered at the Capitol, and prepared to carry out

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Heavy Loss Inflicted on Japanese

CHUNGKING, May 16 (AP).—A Chinese Army spokesman estimated today the Japanese had lost 50,000 men killed or wounded in a three-week drive in North Central China, which, he said, had been broken up completely.

Foreign observers here considered this casualty estimate "too optimistic." The spokesman said rainfall bogged down Japanese motorized and mechanized units and enabled the Chinese to utilize their overwhelming man power superiority.

Belgian Refugees Arrive in England on Flight From Nazi-Invaded Country.

Federal Leaders Stand Pledged to Push War Effort

Measure to Establish National Unemployment Insurance Only Legislation Forecast at Opening of Parliament—Premier Expected to Make Known War Plans on Monday

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP).—Canada's war Parliament opened today in an atmosphere of harmony and determination to devote every effort to the achievement of victory and peace.

In the Speech from the Throne representing the Government's attitude, and in the utterances of party leaders, were pledges to share to the utmost in Allied efforts to halt German aggression.

Although war was the keynote of the Throne Speech, the only specific legislation forecast had to do primarily with the problems of peace.

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SWEEP ALIENS INTO CUSTODY

Thousands Taken in British Drive to Smother "Fifth" Column" Threat

LONDON, May 16 (CP).—Britain swept about 3,000 enemy aliens into "protective custody" today in a drive to stifle "fifth column" threats, accompanied by a warning from the Ministry of Home Security that "there now is a risk that enemy parachutists may attempt to land in this country."

Aliens affected by today's order of the Home Ministry were in category "B"—male Germans and Austrians between sixteen and sixty who had been under surveillance but not detained.

In warning of the parachutist menace, the Ministry told automobile owners to keep their cars where they would not be available to parachute troops landing at night.

APPOINTED COMMISSIONER

Captain Euan Wallace, who was Transport Minister in the Chamberlain Cabinet, has been appointed senior regional commissioner for the London civil defence region, it was announced tonight. Other commis-

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New Force of Australians In Near East

LONDON, May 17 (CP).—The War Office announced early today that the "second contingent of the Second Australian Imperial Force has begun to disembark in Egypt and is proceeding to its specified areas in Palestine."

Lord Caldecote, Secretary of State for Dominion and Colonial Affairs, sent the following message to the Australian commander of the troops' arrival in Egypt:

"On behalf of His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom I send you, officers and other ranks under your command, a cordial welcome and very best wishes. At this critical hour your arrival brings us all encouragement and is a very welcome demonstration that Australia will be there."

Mechanized Army of Germany Streaming To Eastern Slovakia

Troop Concentrations Are Linked by Observers With Nazis' Need of Rumanian Oil to Keep Offensive Going on Western Front

BUDAPEST, May 17 (AP).—Germany is pouring thousands of mechanized and motorized troops—her "blitz" divisions—into the region near the Slovak-Hungarian frontier, with temporary headquarters 140 miles from Rumania, reports from Bratislava said early today.

A steady stream of troop trains and swift columns of high-speed fighting equipment, complete with artillery, tanks, armored cars, field kitchens and truck trains were reported moving into Eastern Slovakia, the German-protected area left after the break-up of Czecho-Slovakia. Nazi warplanes by the hundreds were said to be poised at Vienna and Bovak airports.

The troop movements were reported to have begun on Monday through the Zistersdorf Basin, north of Vienna, and on to Poprad, in Eastern Slovakia.

German army officers quartered at

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B.E.F. Drives Enemy From Historic City in Hand-to-Hand Fight

Great Fleet of Royal Air Force Bombers Causes Widespread Havoc to Military Objectives in Germany—Heavy Fighting Is Reported In Dutch Province of Zeeland

Toll of Aircraft Three to One In Favor of British Planes

By The Canadian Press

MEUSE FRONT.—Royal Air Force bombs Nazi communications; French announce German break-through at Sedan under control.

CENTRAL BELGIAN FRONT. — British tear Germans out of foothold in Louvain, sixteen miles before Brussels.

WESTERN BELGIAN FRONT. — German troops reported by Berlin massing for assault on channel ports.

MAGINOT LINE.—Heavy artillery action on the northern sector between Moselle and Rhine.

ENEMY DRIVEN FROM LOUVAIN

LONDON, May 17 (CP).—British forces in Belgium repulsed German attacks on historic Louvain, a general headquarters bulletin announced early today, while Royal Air Force bombers dealt smashing blows behind the German lines.

"The British Expeditionary Force is in contact with the enemy and fighting is in progress," the brief bulletin stated. "Attacks on Louvain have been repulsed."

Dispatches from the front said British troops drove the Germans from the outskirts of the Belgian city in fierce hand-to-hand fighting and that the battle was continuing with undiminished intensity along the Meuse River from Namur, Belgium, to Sedan, France, where a huge French army is in action.

CAUSE WIDESPREAD HAVOC

The largest force of R.A.F. bombers yet employed in a single operation caused widespread havoc and many explosions and fires in attacking military objectives in Germany.

Whitleys, Wellingtons and Hampdens, long-range, heavy-type machines, were used. The bombers and R.A.F. fighters together shot down fifty enemy machines in day-long activity yesterday, the Air Ministry announced last night. The toll in aircraft along the front "is working out at more than three to one in our favor," the Ministry said.

A military encampment, railway crossings and autobahnen (speedways) were heavily bombed in Germany, the Ministry announced, the R.A.F. going over in moonlight in "the largest force" of bombers "yet employed in a single operation." The territory had been well reconnoitred in advance.

CALL FOR RETALIATORY ATTACKS

Some newspapers were calling for British bombing on German cities in retaliation for the savage attacks on Belgian and Netherlands centres. The evening Standard carried a half-page map of Germany headlined: "Here are the places to bomb." It gave distances to fourteen German cities from the Western Front. The nearest were Essen, Cologne, Cassel, Coblentz and Frankfort.

Allied military sources said the heaviest fighting in the momentous battle of the Meuse was between Dinant, Belgium, and the French city of Sedan, where the situation admittedly was serious "but not critical."

They said the Germans had failed to enlarge their "dent" in the French fortifications and were held by the Allies east of that point.

Liege and Namur, Belgian anchors of the Allied Meuse line, admittedly were isolated, but a British military commentator said they still were holding out. Sporadic fighting was reported along the U-shaped front east of the Belgian port of Antwerp through Charleroi and Louvain, south to the French town of Mezieres and from Sedan to Longwy.

The meagre reports said also that

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From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, May 16 (By Cable).—Collapse of Dutch resistance is at least as serious for the Allies as the German break through in the Belgian salient opposite Maastricht. Yet this eventually has been foreseen, says The Times' correspondent on the Western Front, and necessary counter-measures have been taken.

Troops sent northward to help Holland can now engage the German right wing, the Allied defence line is shortened and a denser concentration of men and material before Brussels becomes possible.

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The war is still one of rapid movement in Eastern Belgium, with each side trying to outwit the other. The main Allied object is to slow down the German advance until the line behind which General Gamelin has decided to make his first serious stand is firmly organized.

The German thrust towards Sedan is described in Paris as an attempt to turn French defences at a point where the original Maginot Line ends and fortifications which were built later, extending along the Belgian frontier to the North Sea, begin. Reinforcements should soon check the German advance here.

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Switzerland stands alert, says The Times' diplomatic correspondent, against German forces estimated at twenty-five divisions assembled in the Black Forest.

To judge by diplomatic and political signs alone, Italian intervention in the war on Hitler's side appears imminent. Military signs, however, are less conclusive, and many believe that Italy's part is still to help Germany by extreme diplomatic pressure.

The French have landed tanks at Narvik against the Germans, who are constantly reinforced by parachutists.

The Times editorially says that the problem of the Allies in Belgium now is whether to wait until the German onset shows signs of flagging or to risk a counter-offensive against troops still flushed with victory who have not yet lost their impetus.

In the great battle of the Meuse the situation is serious, but the Allies suffered and repaired far worse damage in the last war.

The Germans now have one thousand miles of continual coastline from Namsos to Rotterdam from which to undertake offensive sea and air action against the British Isles.

UNEMPLOYED FEWER

CALGARY, May 15 (CP).—There were 2,843 fewer persons receiving unemployment relief in Calgary during April than during the same month last year, it was revealed in figures issued yesterday. Assistance was given to only 6,841 individuals last month as compared with 9,124 last April.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS CLOSING ITS OFFICES

GENEVA, May 16 (AP). — The League of Nations began closing its offices here tonight as the decision was announced for removal to Vichy, France, in event of invasion of Switzerland.

The secretary-general, Joseph A. C. Agenol, at a meeting of the staff this afternoon gave 205 officials and employees the choice of handing in their resignations tomorrow or agreeing to suspension of their contracts at any time.

LATE NEWS BULLETINS

KING ASKS FOR DAY OF NATIONAL PRAYER

LONDON, May 16 (CP).—King George asked Britain today to make May 26 a day of "national prayer on behalf of the nation and Empire, their Allies and of the cause in which they are united."

REFUGEES FIRED ON IN BELGIAN PORT

LONDON, May 17 (CP).—Refugees arriving in a British port early today, from Belgium, related that German warplanes bombed and machine-gunned their ships in a Belgian port. The refugees—nearly all British subjects who had been living in Belgium—said there were no casualties.

NORWEGIANS ABROAD ORDERED TO SERVICE

LONDON, May 17 (CP).—All Norwegians abroad between the ages of twenty-one and forty-five, have been ordered by official proclamation to register for military service, Reuter's News Agency said it had been informed today by the Norwegian Telegraph Agency, Stockholm.

APPEALS FOR 164,000 NURSES

LONDON, May 16 (CP).—An appeal for 164,000 additional nurses was made by Miss Florence Horsburgh, parliamentary secretary to the Health Ministry, in a speech tonight at the Royal Nurses' College. "We want 17,000 trained nurses, 40,000 auxiliary nurses and 7,000 assistant nurses, all giving full time service, plus 100,000 auxiliary nurses giving part-time service."

REPORT RUMANIA CANCELS ARMY LEAVES

NEW YORK, May 17 (AP).—A British news broadcast saying that Rumania had decided to cancel all army leaves, was heard this morning by N.B.C. Rumania has been reported in past weeks to have some 1,000,000 men under arms.

SHIP DETENTION HERE PROTESTED

Russian Envoy in London Complains Against Action of Contraband Control Officials

LONDON, May 16 (CP).—Soviet Ambassador Ivan M. Maisky protested at the Foreign Office today, against detention of a Russian-chartered Norwegian ship at a Canadian Pacific port.

The ship left United States waters with a cargo for Vladivostok, it was said, and touched at Victoria, B.C., where she was held by contraband control authorities. Norwegian ships are now under orders of British merchant marine officials at London.

Naval authorities at Esquimalt and Ottawa declined last night to give any explanation of the alleged detention of the vessel, or to offer any comment on the Soviet's protest.

Solarium to Benefit From Programme Set For Empire Day Here

Alderman W. H. Davies, Chairman of Committee, Announces Plans for Willows Park Sports, Street Dance, Pet and Costume Parade

PROCEEDS of the May 24 sports to be held here will be devoted to the Queen Alexandra Solarium. The athletic events will be conducted under the patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton, Most Rev. John C. Cody, Commodore V. G. Brodeur, Commander A. I. Agnew, Brigadier C. V. Stockwell, Air Commodore A. E. Godfrey and Mayor Andrew McGavin.

Members of the sports committee are Alderman W. H. Davies (chairman), Colonel J. Lightbody, Captain W. Hobart Molson, Aldermen W. Lloyd Morgan and T. W. Hawkins, Major T. A. H. Taylor, Captain R. Longridge, Commander R. R. Kingscote, Flying Officer B. D. DeWitt, and John Baxter and A. C. Batchelor, secretaries.

Directed by Captain William Ellis and Petty Officer Edward MacFadyen, the Victoria Metropolitan District Civilian Protection Committee will demonstrate activities during a mock air raid. Bombs from an airplane will demolish frame houses at Willows Park, commencing at 1:30 o'clock on the afternoon of May 24.

DEMONSTRATE WORK

Fire-fighters, ambulances, decontamination squads, wardens and others will rush to their posts at the sound of an air raid alarm. Refreshments at the park will be served by the Senior Ladies' Auxiliary of the Solarium.

At 2 o'clock a united services field day will commence. There will be a tug of war, catch-weights, ten men and a captain per side, and 100, 220 and 440-yard flat races.

Other events will include an obstacle race, five-mile distance race, 75-yard sack race, 100-yard backward race, 100-yard three-legged race; inter-service shuttle relay, four men, 110 yards each; 100-yard bandsmen's race, pie-eating contest, pillow fight, mounted wrestling for two and four-man teams, water bucket tilting and a high jump.

School races will be: Girls, grade schools, 60 yards; boys, grade schools, 100 yards; girls, Victoria High School, 75 yards, and boys, Victoria High School, 100 yards.

BICYCLE RACES

There will be bicycle races for newspaper carriers, motorcycle events, a polo game, men's and women's horse races, perfect male and female contests, and a battle royal for the services with four men to a side.

A fancy dress and pet parade will form at Central Junior High School, Yates and Ormond Streets, and proceed to Blanshard Street for judging.

Classes will be: Boys, prizes $3, $2, $1; girls, prizes $3, $2, $1; for grade schools. High schools, boys and girls, prizes of $3.50, $2.50 and $1.50 in each class, fancy or comic dress. Decorated bicycles, boys and girls, grade and high schools, prizes of $3.50, $2.50 and $1.50 in each class. Pet parade, in costume, boys and girls, grade or high schools, prizes of $4, $3 and $2.

ADULTS' EVENTS

Adults, male and female, may enter a comic or fancy-dress event with prizes of $5, $3.50 and $2.

By permission of Fire Chief Alex Munroe, the fire department will organize a comic parade to proceed west on Yates Street to Blanshard Street and Pandora Avenue. Herbert Lee has promised that local Chinese will enter a float.

At 8 o'clock in the evening there will be a street dance and floor show on Blanshard Street, between Yates and Johnson Streets. The fire department will also stage a spectacular run on Yates Street with equipment illuminated by red flares.

By permission of C. H. Wilson, a bazaar and auction sale will be held on the Cecil Hotel grounds. Refreshment, candy and novelty booths will be in charge of Mrs. D. Mugford. There will be games and a sale of superfluities.

CALL TO REGISTER

TORONTO, May 16 (CP)—D. McIvor, consul for The Netherlands here, today issued a call for all subjects of The Netherlands in Ontoria to register immediately for war service. Registrations are to be made at the consulate here.

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OFFICIALS IN SESSION HERE

Provincial Government to Be Hosts at Dinner at Colwood Today

Welcomed by Hon. A. W. Gray and officials of the Municipal Affairs Department, forty-nine delegates to the second annual conference of the Municipal Officers' Association of British Columbia, gathered yesterday in the members' room at the Legislative Buildings for a two-day discussion of municipal administrative problems.

Alderman S. H. Okell extended a welcome from Victoria, as host city, on behalf of Mayor Andrew McGavin.

E. H. Bridgman, deputy minister of the department, and other officials discussed relief and other matters with the visiting officers, all of whom are identified with civic corporations. With E. S. Fox, Duncan, in the chair, and S. L. Brice, Chilliwack, secretary, the conference proceeded, and will conclude today.

This evening at 7 o'clock, the Provincial Government will give a dinner for the visiting officers at the Royal Colwood Golf Club, bringing the second annual gathering to a close.

CLEARING UP ACROSS MEUSE

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a large pocket, which our valiant troops are cleaning up."

Tonight's communique announced success for the aerial counter-attack with reconnaissance planes scouting out the columns, pursuit planes clearing up the skies and bombing planes raining destruction on German armor.

(Reuter's News Agency reported from the Belgian frontier that wave after wave of British fighters had bombed and machine-gunned German positions and troops in the Meuse Valley since dawn.

(It said pontoon bridges had been blown up, roads blocked with debris and thirty-five German planes shot down).

PLANES AND TANKS

Thousands of warplanes and tanks engaged in an unequaled battle of movement all along the Meuse front from Sedan, in Northern France, to Namur, fifty miles north of Belgium.

Armored units on both sides, shaking their infantry loose, plunged boldly into the enemy's lines and tried to cut off their foes from the rear.

The Germans were meeting tremendous resistance in attempting to push through the three gaps they opened in the Namur-Sedan lines yesterday, on the west bank of the Meuse.

On the northern extension of this line, from Namur through Gembloux, just east of Louvain and thence northwest to Antwerp—a line shielding both Brussels and the Channel ports of Belgium—fighting also was general, but details very sparse.

On the line southeast of Sedan, through Montmedy, Longwy and also the Franco-German frontier to the Vosges Mountains, the principal action was described as artillery duels between opposing fortifications.

POCKET NO DEEPER

The French said the Germans south of Sedan had failed to deepen the pocket they drove into the French lines two days ago, but a War Office spokesman acknowledged they had continued to push ahead between Sedan and Namur.

North of Namur, German attacks were reported repulsed.

In Paris the Allied Supreme War Council held its first meeting since the Nazis invaded the Low Countries. No details concerning the meeting were disclosed.

Premier Reynaud in his broadcast warned against wild rumors, and repudiated two of them—that Reims and Meaux had been reached by the Germans. He emphasized, too, that his Government "is and remains in Paris."

Addressing the Chamber in its first session since the Reich sent its armies into the Lowlands, Premier Reynaud foreshadowed dark days in a brief speech which echoed the "blood, toil, tears and sweat" declaration with which Winston Churchill took over as Premier, praised the heroism of Belgium and said "our sufferings will be her sufferings, her mournings our mournings, and one day our joy shall be her joy."

FAILURE IS DOOM

"It is a war to overthrow France and dominate first, Europe, and then the world. Hitler wants to win the war in two months. If he fails, he is doomed. He knows it. That is why after long hesitation, after affirming that he would let this war bog down, he took his chances.

"We are perfectly aware of the peril. The days, weeks and months ahead are going to decide the centuries to come. We shall face this peril united . . .

"We shall have to take measures which yesterday would have seemed revolutionary. Perhaps we shall have to change our methods and men. Any failure will bring one punishment—death.

"We must at once force a new spirit. We are full of hope. Our lives count for nothing.

"One thing counts—to maintain France!"

REYNAUD'S BROADCAST

In his broadcast Reynaud said: "Just 1,000 years ago German hordes swept over Europe. Since then thirty generations of Frenchmen have made France. France is strong because of that glorious past. It is not at the mercy of an enemy boast.

"On the northern plains we have seen the presence of barbarians from Attila to William II. Ten centuries of French civilization are threatened today.

"We are determined to conquer at all costs. A terrible punishment will strike those who fail to understand this. Our courage, our ardor, our faith maintain intact throughout the world the liberties of Christian and Latin civilization."

Air raid sirens and the thud of bombs were heard over France.

One of the several enemy scouting planes was shot down in the Paris area. Several buildings in Arras, 100 miles north of Paris, were destroyed by bombs.

Nancy, south of Sedan, was raided, with an undetermined number of dead and wounded. There were nine air alarms.

Alarms sounded in Lille and Le Havre.

French officials said the American Meuse-Agornne Cemetery at Romagne, where there are 15,000 graves was bombed yesterday.

Is Caught Speeding And Fined For Not Wearing Eyeglasses

SAANICH police enforced, for the first time, a charge against a motorist of driving on a restricted licence without his eyeglasses, when he appeared in the municipal police court yesterday. The officers learned of the driver's disability when he was stopped for exceeding the speed limit through a school zone. The motorist was fined $10 on each count, pleading guilty to both charges. As a result of the drivers' tests being conducted by the Provincial Government, certain car owners have restricted licences that state they must year glasses while in control of a car.

LORD ATHLONE HONORED GUEST

Sportsmen Give Farewell Luncheon to Governor For Canada

LONDON, May 16 (CP).—In a brilliant dining-room dotted with all kinds of military uniforms, the Earl of Athlone was tendered a farewell luncheon today by the British Sportsmen's Association, whose spokesman described the Governor-General-designate of Canada as "the best possible man for the job."

The chairman, Lord Decies, said it was no light task for a man of Lord Athlone's age to accept such an appointment and "we all appreciate the wonderful self-sacrifice he is displaying."

Then, he added jocularly, "look back at what he is leaving; a nice home, a couple of glasses of port after dinner and a good cigar."

The chairman read a message from Major-General A. G. L. McNaughton, general officer commanding the First Division, Canadian Active Service Force, expressing regret at his inability to attend "because military duties make it impossible."

PRAISES CANADIANS

Lord Athlone rose to a crescendo of applause and after a brief word of thanks for the reception, turned his reply into words of praise for Canadians. He paid tribute to the officers and men he had met "somewhere," stressing the word "somewhere" because Lord Decies, when referring to General McNaughton, had mentioned "Aldershot," but quickly corrected it to "somewhere."

"Most men at fifty are too old for such a job," the Earl continued, "but at sixty-six I am off for Canada for a new job. I only wish it had been twenty-six years ago when I got my first appointment papers . . . but I am looking forward to the job and wish to assure you all that I shall do my very best."

(Lord Athlone when Prince Alexander of Teck, was appointed Governor-General of Canada shortly before the outbreak of war in 1914. He went to France instead.)

Italians Advised To Leave Egypt

CAIRO, May 16 (CP-Reuter's).—Italian consular officials have advised their nationals to leave Egypt.

The Egyptian Government is reported to have begun evacuation of civilians from zones near Alexandria and Heliopolis, as well as in regions near airfields and other railway objectives.

The Allies' fleet has started manoeuvres on a grand scale off Alexandria.

BIG DEFENCE FUND SOUGHT

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his recommendations with the utmost speed.

Almost immediately, Chairman Andrew May, of the House of Representatives military committee, introduced a $726,000,000 army expansion bill, to authorize the acquisition of anti-aircraft equipment and ammunition, expedite the manufacture of munitions, modernize combat planes, train 15,000 new troops, and improve the defences of the Panama Canal.

Comment on the address revealed, if there had been any doubt, that Congress is ready to carry the President's recommendations through.

FOR MORE AIRPLANES

Reliable sources said the bulk of the $100,000,000 which Mr. Roosevelt asked be appropriated to him for "emergencies" would be used to construct new factories or factory annexes to turn out airplanes, plane motors and munitions. The Government did not intend to go into the plane or motor-making business itself, these sources said, but merely to build and rent factory buildings or assist otherwise in financing them. However, it was said, there would be some enlargement of Government-owned munitions facilities.

The President asked Congress to take no action which would interfere with delivery of airplanes to the Allies.

He said, in this connection:

PLANES FOR EXPORT

"For the permanent record, I ask the Congress not to take any action which would in any way hamper or delay the delivery of American-made planes to foreign nations which have ordered them, or seek to purchase more planes. That, from the point of view of our national defence, would be extremely short-sighted."

The President broke his request down into $896,000,000 in immediate appropriations, of which the army would get $546,000,000, the navy and marine corps $250,000,000, and $100,000,000 would be at his disposal "to provide for emergencies affecting the national security and defence."

In addition, he asked the legislators to authorize the Government to enter into contracts totaling $286,000,000, to be paid for by appropriations later on.

Of the latter, the army, navy and marine corps would receive $186,000,000 and the President, $100,000,000.

The President said he would "like to see this nation geared up to the ability to turn out at least 50,000 planes a year."

"Furthermore," he added, "I believe that this nation should plan at this time a programme that would provide us with 50,000 military and naval planes."

IN ALL ITS HORROR

"These are ominous days," he declared at the outset of his message, "days whose wide and shocking developments force every neutral nation to look to its defences in the light of new factors. The brutal force of modern offensive war has been loosed in all its horror."

Before detailing his programme, he spoke of the speed with which mechanized armies move, of parachute-troop invasions and of bombing attacks.

Because of these things, he said, the protection of the western hemisphere "more than ever" calls for "ready at hand weapons capable of great mobility."

FOUR NECESSITIES

Explaining the purposes of the huge new defence fund, Mr. Roosevelt said it would be used for four things.

"First, to procure the essential equipment of all kinds for a larger and thoroughly rounded out army.

"Second, to replace or modernize all old army and navy equipment with the latest type of equipment.

"Third, to increase production facilities for everything needed for the army and navy for national defence. We require the ability to turn out quickly infinitely greater supplies.

"Fourth, to speed up to a twenty-four-hour basis all existing army and navy contracts, and all new contracts to be awarded."

In stark, realistic words, which were relayed over the world by radio, Mr. Roosevelt pointed to lessons learned by nations which were not ready for war and were overrun by enemies.

TOP SPEED PRODUCTION

"Surely," he said, "the developments of the past few weeks have made it clear to all our citizens that the possibility of attack on vital American zones ought to make it essential that we have the physical, the ready ability to meet those attacks and to prevent them from reaching their objectives.

"This means military implements—not on paper—which are ready and available to meet any lightning offensive against our American interest," he said. "It means also that facilities for production must be ready to turn out munitions and equipment at top speed."

Italian Workmen Are Discharged

BARRIE, Ont., May 16 (CP)—Eight skilled workmen, all of them veterans of the last war, arrived here tonight by army transport from Toronto to take over from fourteen Italian workmen construction of a pipeline at nearby Camp Borden military camp. Yesterday a demonstration occurred here when the Italians arrived to start the job.

Military authorities said tonight the Italians were hired only on a temporary basis until other skilled workers, preferably war veterans, were found to supplant them. The Italians were discharged tonight.

Speech From Throne Delivered in Senate By Sir Lyman Duff

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP).—Text of the Speech from the Throne, delivered in the Senate Chamber today by Sir Lyman Duff, acting governor-general, follows:

Honorable members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

You have been summoned to the first session of a new Parliament at a time of the greatest conflict in the history of mankind. Upon the outcome of the struggle will depend the maintenance of civilized society and the inheritance of human freedom for our own and future generations.

Since Parliament last met, the nature of the conflict, the character of the enemy, and the perils which menace all free nations have become only too clear. In that short space of time, the world has seen the peaceful and peace-loving peoples of Denmark, Norway, Holland, Belgium and Luxemburg made the victims of the treachery and barbarism which have marked the successive outrages of Nazi Germany. It has also witnessed the invasion of Finland, and, despite the epic resistance of its heroic population, the partition of that unoffending country.

At any time, the lust of conquest may vastly enlarge the theatre of war. These tragic events have but served to intensify our determination to share in the war effort of the Allied powers to the utmost of our strength. In this resolution the Government has been fortified by the direct and unquestioned mandate of the Canadian people.

UNREMITTING ATTENTION

The organization and prosecution of Canada's war effort have commanded the unremitting attention of my ministers. The constant consultation and complete co-operation maintained with the Governments of the United Kingdom and France have been materially strengthened by the recent visit to those countries of my Minister of National Defence.

You will be fully informed of Canada's action both in the military and economic fields. You will be asked to consider measures deemed essential for the prosecution of the war, and for the social and economic requirements of the country.

While the present session of Parliament will necessarily be mainly concerned with Canada's war effort, and the measures essential to the achievement of ultimate victory, my ministers are of opinion that, despite what today is being witnessed of concentrated warfare, it is desirable, as far as may be possible, to plan for the days that will follow the cessation of hostilities.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE

As a contribution to industrial stability in time of war, and to social security and justice in time of peace, resolutions will be introduced for an amendment to the British North America Act which would empower the Parliament of Canada to enact at the present session legislation to establish unemployment insurance on a national scale.

The report of the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial relations, which has just been received, will be tabled immediately.

Members of the House of Commons:

You will be asked to make financial provision for expenditure necessitated by the existing state of war.

The estimates for the current year will be submitted to you without delay.

Honorable members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

WISE COUNSELLOR LOST

Since the last session of Parliament, a much-beloved Governor-General has passed from our midst. In the death of Lord Tweedsmuir, Canada mourns one whose character and achievements had endeared him to our people; the British Commonwealth has lost a wise and understanding counsellor, and the fellowship of writers a gifted interpreter of the graces and humanities of English literature.

I join with you in the expression to Lady Tweedsmuir and the members of her family of the deep sympathy of the Canadian people.

His Majesty the King has been pleased to appoint the Earl of Athlone as his representative in succession to the late Lord Tweedsmuir. The sense of duty and the public service which have distinguished the lives of the Governor-General-designate and the Princess Alice insure for His Excellency and her Royal Highness an eager and cordial welcome to Canada.

As you assume, in these dark and difficult days, the grave responsibilities with which you have been entrusted by the Canadian people, may your resolution be sustained by the knowledge that it is the liberties of all free peoples that you are helping to preserve.

Unless the evil powers, which threaten the very existence of freedom, are vanquished, the world itself will inevitably be reduced to a state of international anarchy.

I pray that Divine Providence may guide and bless your deliberations.

Records Officer Dies on Mainland

VANCOUVER, May 16 (CP)—Major H. E. A. Pentreath, forty-nine, of the British Columbia Regiment, and records officer of Military District No. 11, collapsed and died in the Seaforth Armories today. Death was believed due to a heart attack.

Born in Winnipeg, Major Pentreath lived most of his life here, and during the first Great War fought in France with the 102nd Infantry Battalion.

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ANNOUNCE RESULT OF EXAMINATIONS

Six Vancouver Island Students Are Successful in Passing Teachers' Tests

Results from examinations in the Teacher Training Course in the Faculty of Arts and Science at the University of British Columbia were announced yesterday by the Department of Education. The list of successful candidates on Vancouver Island were given as follows:

Class I—Lois M. Harris, Victoria.

Class II—1. Elizabeth S. Norie, Cowichan Station; Kenneth S. Osler, Comox, Neil A. Swainson, Victoria.

Passed—Ottilie G. Boyd, Lake Cowichan, and D. Kathleen Johnston, Nanaimo.

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National Red Cross Commissioner Tells About Work Abroad

Dr. Fred Routley, Back From Europe, Addresses Two Local Gatherings—Mrs. Wallace Campbell Tells Women About Wartime Needs

THE splendid effectiveness of Canadian Red Cross wartime organization, recently attested in its ability to finance the building of a thoroughly up-to-date 600-bed Canadian military hospital at Taplow, Buckinghamshire, England, and to underwrite a $100,000 hostel for Canadian soldiers in London, was eloquently pictured by Dr. Fred W. Routley, national commissioner of the Canadian Red Cross Society, at a luncheon address which he gave at the Empress Hotel yesterday shortly after his arrival here from Toronto.

Coupled with his statement of Canadian Red Cross war work to date and its constantly increasing efficiency to meet whatever demands might be made of it in the coming months, Dr. Routley made a moving appeal for continued and greater support in money, materials and work for an organization on whose behalf he recently spent some time in England studying the needs, setting up necessary machinery and gathering up information to bring back to headquarters at Toronto and Canada in general. Just this week he flew out to the coast from Toronto, accompanied by Mrs. Wallace Campbell, O.B.E., national chairman of the women's war work committee, who addressed a meeting of local Red Cross branch conveners and other Red Cross workers immediately following Dr. Routley's luncheon address.

Dr. Routley, who was introduced by the chairman, Bishop H. E. Sexton, immediately after His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor had spoken briefly in response to the cordial welcome extended to himself and Mrs. Hamber, devoted a few minutes to comparing the "preparedness" of the Canadian Red Cross Society at September 1 last year and at the beginning of the war of 1914-18. In the last war, although it began on a purely peacetime footing, it had developed into a great force, raising by voluntary subscription from the people of Canada the sum of $36,000,000 in four years. After the war it had continued to function as a strongly-organized peacetime machine engaged in wide activities pertaining to the welfare of the Canadian people, and thanks to this continued functioning it was ready, when the war broke out last September, to start operations as a flourishing fully-operating machine operating from coast to coast.

"Since then the organization has been geared up from day to day, from week to week, until today we have more than one million women giving their services in making much-needed supplies, while thousands of people from coast to coast are giving their full time, voluntarily, to direct and carry out the Red Cross activities," the speaker noted.

COSTS LOW

Administrative and publicity costs of the Red Cross were lower than for any other organization in existence, Dr. Routley believed, 2 per cent covering all publicity, 3½ per cent the administration, making a total of 5½ per cent. This left the great bulk of all moneys collected for purchase of materials for the making of supplies needed overseas, and for the national Red Cross enterprises like the $750,000 600-bed military hospital at Taplow. First of the Canadian military hospitals built to date in this war, this was up to date in every respect, with forty-one buildings of steel and asbestos, a sunroom at the end of every ward, a modern central heating system "which meets the constant complaint of Canadian soldiers concerning the coldness of the English climate," and 100 special hospital beds for the very sick. There is also a fine modern laboratory in charge of Sir Frederic Banting.

Dr. Routley stated that the hospital visiting work instituted in England during the Great War had been revived so that Canadian boys could be kept in touch with their relatives in this country. This would be operated from a central London headquarters, which also contained a department of information.

OTHER WORK

In addition to the Taplow Hospital, other war work by the National Council of the Canadian Red Cross included a gift of $100,000 to the British Red Cross, relief grants to The Netherlands, comforts to the value of over $150,000 for the navy, a gift of ten ambulances to Finland, and various other projects. Hundreds of thousands of articles had also been provided for men who had come into the port of Halifax since the war broke out. In this connection Dr. Routley recalled the magnificently prompt response made by the Red Cross women workers in outfitting a crew of British seamen from a southern patrol which arrived in a bitter November day in Halifax equipped only with shorts and sun helmets. In a few hours these men were completely equipped with warm clothing.

An index of the horror of war which Canada's Red Cross workers would be called upon to meet with emergency hospital supplies was suggested by Dr. Routley when he reminded his listeners of the 100,000 Dutch soldiers killed during the last few days. This in an army of 400,000 represented a high percentage of wounded, for whom hospitalization would be required.

"We in Canada have not known much about war. But pray God we will know as much as we ought to in order that we may be moved to do our part," said the speaker, who spoke with pride of the spirit being shown by the British at this time of terrible national crisis. He was firmly convinced that the British would never lay down their arms until they had carried out their pledge to rid the world of this unbearable despotism.

ADDRESSES WOMEN

Mrs. Campbell, who was introduced to the women's meeting by Miss Fitz Gibbon, gave more detailed advice concerning the actual making of socks, pyjamas, bandages, sweaters and other garments for hospital, seamen or refugee use. She particularly urged the importance of using throughout Canada the standard patterns supplied through the Red Cross, and stressed the necessity of good materials, "nothing less than the best." In the matter of raising funds, local branches could adopt whatever means they liked for financing special local projects, but so far as the National funds were concerned, only one direct appeal would be made to the public—probably next Autumn, she stated.

Later in the afternoon Dr. Routley addressed a largely-attended public meeting in the Empress Hotel ballroom, at which, in addition to outlining the wartime activities of the Red Cross, he reviewed some phases of its peacetime work. Mrs. Campbell also spoke briefly. Brigadier-General J. G. Austin, president of the Victoria branch, was in the chair, and also on the platform were Bishop Sexton and F. W. Tuffrey, British Columbia Red Cross commissioner.

Dr. Routley emphasized the guiding principles of the Red Cross, "improvement in health, prevention of disease, and mitigation of suffering throughout the world in peace or war. He spoke also of the Junior Red Cross world-wide movement for good health, good citizenship and international friendship.

Sir Richard Lake proposed the vote of thanks to the speakers.

B.C. Free Miners To Renew Permits By End of Month

FREE miners' certificates in British Columbia will expire on May 31, and should be renewed now, it was explained yesterday at the Provincial Department of Mines. All certificates representing property held under the Mineral Act and the Placer Mining Act should be renewed on or before May 31, officials of the Department said, to avoid lapses.

PILOT TELLS ADVENTURES

Downs Three Germans—Plane Takes Fire—Parachutes Onto Island

LONDON, May 16 (CP). — The Air Ministry gave the public a hair-raising account today of a Royal Air Force pilot's "adventures in Holland," in which he shot down three German planes, jumped from a blazing cockpit, landed by parachute on a Dutch island, swam 200 yards, hitch-hiked a ride on a bicycle, and was mistaken for a German before he reached safety.

The pilot said his formation encountered seven Junkers 87's southwest of Rotterdam and his gunner brought down two of them.

"Then about twenty-seven Messerschmitt 109's joined the combat and I heard my rear gunner, who was afterwards killed, give a cheer, and I think this meant that he had got a Messerschmitt 109 which had been trying to get on my tail," the pilot said.

TURNS PLANE OVER

"My starboard tank caught fire and a stream of bullets came from the rear and shot away the dashboard and part of the control column. I lost control for some time but eventually managed to turn the aircraft on its back to facilitate bailing out. I bailed out when the flames were coming right up to the cockpit.

"I landed on an island southwest of Dordrecht among some tall reeds."

After swimming two channels, the pilot said he found a small boat which he rowed to a house where a farmer gave him a lift on a bicycle to the nearest Dutch military post. There he met a fellow R.A.F. pilot who also had taken to his parachute.

"We were interrogated by Dutch intelligence officers, who seemed to think we were German," he said. "By this time I had lost most of my uniform."

Finally they were taken to The Hague, where they convinced the authorities they were British airmen and not Nazi parachutists or Dutch Fascists.

"We shall not expect to escape criticism, but I believe I am speaking for all members when I say that I hope we will escape anything in the nature of recrimination.

"It would be our wish that anything in the nature of criticism will be constructive, in the light of the great problems with which we are faced at this time.

"In conclusion, may I say that the co-operation which we believe we will receive from members in all parts of the House will be reciprocated in the fullest measure possible by the Government.

"It will be our effort to work together in this House of Commons as one body of citizens who have first and foremost in their hearts the interests of their country, the interests of the great Empire to which we all belong, the interests of free nations and the interests of freedom throughout the world."

HANSON REPLIES

Mr. Hanson replied, in part:

"Members of that group of free democracies of which we pride ourselves in forming a part, are being attacked in the most vicious and violent manner that can be imagined in the human mind.

"As the senior Dominion and an integral part of the British Empire, Canada, along with our Mother Country and our gallant Allies, is being attacked.

"It is the duty of Canadians, the duty of this Parliament, the duty of the Government charged with responsibility for the time being, and, as I conceive it, my duty as the leader of His Majesty's Opposition, to render the cause of liberty and freedom the very best that is in us.

"Canada's participation in this great conflict should be bound only by our limitations in men, treasure and concentrated effort."

WARTIME BEARING

While the proposal for unemployment insurance is particularly directed at the problems of the post-war period, it still has an important bearing on the financial situation of the Government in wartime.

Most important consideration in introducing the measure without delay is to provide for the inevitable disorganization that has always followed the cessation of hostilities.

Another feature of the proposal bears on the present financial problems of the Government. In one way or another collection of insurance fund contributions by the Government benefits the treasury.

The money will be available for the immediate spending requirements of the Government and the Central Administration will be able to postpone outgoing payments in volume until post-war problems of unemployment arise.

STAND PLEDGED TO PUSH WAR EFFORT

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UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE

It was announced that the Government would at once introduce a resolution leading to amendments to the British North America Act, empowering Parliament to enact a measure establishing "unemployment insurance on a national scale."

Tomorrow afternoon the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne will be moved by Hughes Lapointe (Liberal Lotbiniere) and seconded by James Sinclair (Liberal, Vancouver North).

Debate on the address will open on Monday, when Prime Minister Mackenzie King is expected to give a review of the Government's war activities to date and possibly lift the veil on future plans. The Senate adjourned until Tuesday.

BRIEF SESSION EXPECTED

Members speculated on the probable length of the session and many discussed the possibility of an adjournment after a month or so for resumption of the session in the Fall.

Sir Lyman Duff, Chief Justice of Canada and administrator of the Government since the death of Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General, opened the first session of Canada's Nineteenth Parliament at 11 a.m., P.S.T., by reading the Throne Speech.

Only the essential ceremonies and ritual of tradition were observed, and the brilliance of equipment, fashionably-gowned women, parade of guards and firing of cannons were absent.

The Throne Speech told members they were meeting at a time of "the greatest conflict in the history of mankind." But the tragic events in Europe, it said, "have but served to intensify our determination to share in the war effort of the Allied powers to the utmost of our strength."

SPEAKERS ENTHRONED

This being a new Parliament, it was necessary for the Senate and House of Commons to meet earlier in the day to enthrone Speakers and introduce new members.

In the Senate, Hon. George Parent (Liberal, Quebec) was installed as Speaker, succeeding Hon. W. E. Foster (Liberal, New Brunswick), who held that office during the last Parliament. The Senate also received and swore in fifteen new senators appointed since the last session to fill vacancies.

The House of Commons met at noon without a Speaker and elected J. A. Glen (Liberal, Marquette) to that office. His election, moved by Prime Minister Mackenzie King, was warmly approved by the Conservative leader, Hon. R. B. Hanson; J. S. Woodsworth, leader of the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation, and John Blackmore, leader of the New Democracy group.

HEADS OPPOSITION

In the House of Commons, Mr. Hanson who was chosen last Monday to be temporary House leader of the Conservative group, made his bow at Leader of the official Opposition.

Brief statements were made by leaders on the election of the Speaker and when the Prime Minister congratulated Mr. Hanson. In each case the war and its responsibilities overshadowed the personal.

Mr. Mackenzie King said, in part:

STREAMING INTO EAST SLOVAKIA

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Vienna were reported here as telling foreigners they had orders to march through Hungary, but that they had no idea when they would start.

Military observers linked the concentrations with the Reich's need of oil to press her oil-consuming Western offensive.

These observers pointed out that these troops rapidly could knife through Hungary to Rumanian oilfields if an offensive were determined upon.

Rumanian oil deliveries to the Reich, it was pointed out, are now well over 1,000,000 tons in arrears of the quota agreed upon by the two countries.

With the average warplane on the Western Front burning fifteen gallons of high-grade gasoline an hour, military sources said, 1,000 such planes would use 360,000 gallons each twenty-four hours of continuous operation, or about 1,400 tons daily.

NEEDS ARE HEAVY

To get that amount of aviation gasoline Germany must transport and refine 8,600 tons of crude daily, or about twice her present quota from Rumania.

Military sources said these figures failed to take account of the needs of the mechanized and motorized forces, the navy and war industries.

The military concentration began Monday, reports here said.

HOLD THEIR OWN AT EVERY POINT

American Correspondent Sees Superior German Forces Stopped By Gallant French

NEW YORK, May 16 (CP).—"This French army and its British Allies are all that stand between humanity and chaos," says a front-page story in The New York Sun today, written by William Bird, The Sun's correspondent with the French army at the front.

Bird wrote: "Today as news filtered down from the north of the collapse of Dutch resistance, the realization grows on me that the fate of democracy the world over is in the hands of the gallant French once more, and with that realization comes a growing conviction that they will prove equal once more to that crushing task.

"Everywhere I have roamed along this front the Germans have attacked with greatly superior forces, but everywhere they have been stopped."

'ABE LINCOLN' IS FINE PLAY

Raymond Massey Cheered By Capacity Audience at Royal Theatre

Raymond Massey, in Robert E. Sherwood's "Abe Lincoln in Illinois," a grippingly fine drama, played at the Royal Victoria Theatre last night to a capacity audience that gave cheers in attesting its admiration for the great Canadian actor who played the title role and his splendid company of associates.

A Pulitzer prize winner, "Abe Lincoln in Illinois" is a powerful play, and Mr. Massey's was a powerful and moving portrait, which gripped and held the imagination from the very first. Twelve scenes, built into three long acts, were required to construct the full portrait of the man and reveal its full pathos, grandeur, tragedy and simple nobility. Mr. Massey himself brought the full implications of the martyred Lincoln's life from the dead past into the living present when, in his after-play speech in response to clamorous applause, he stated that "Lincoln belonged not only to the United States, but to all countries, including those martyred countries of more recent time whose resurrection will be the sweetest fruit of our victory."

This moving comment he made as a Canadian "deeply proud of the honor of being privileged to present the play in his native country," which had given the drama the most moving reception it had ever had, perhaps because it was now standing for just those very things which Lincoln sought.

CHARACTER BUILDING

Every clever detail, lighting and direction of the play, the quiet and amazingly quick change of scene, the costuming, furnishing, and even the tempo of movement and speech, combined to reconstruct the times in which Lincoln evolved from the raw-boned, lanky, rail-splitting, dreamy, unambitious yet mentally hungry youth to the still raw-boned and lanky, idealistic statesman imbued with the one overpowering ambition of giving practical effectiveness to the American Declaration of Independence and its principles of liberty and equality.

Two women, little Ann Rutledge, whose early death may have changed the whole course of Lincoln's life, and Mary Todd, marriage with whom undoubtedly did change Lincoln's life, were the feminine influences of a drama which introduced thirty-three speaking parts, nearly all of them important in bringing out the true character of the man who was destined to become the greatest figure in American history.

Ann's part was to disclose the deep romanticism, the tenderness, the humility and capacity for affection in the man. Mary was to show, first, his indecision, as he deserted her practically at the altar when he realized—and hated her for it—that she wanted him for her own ambitions; and second, his pride, sensitiveness, reticence, and power for bitter retaliation when goaded beyond endurance, as shown in the last scene but one, where the pent-up resentment of years is expressed in the passionate curse with which he damns her for making a public exhibition of their incompatibility.

THE ACTING

Not only the soul of Lincoln was pictured in Mr. Massey's brilliant study, it was the physical Lincoln as well. Blessed with the necessary stature, the actor had a good foundation for the make-up of personal appearance, and to the raw-boned, lanky physique added the awkwardness of movement which are historic and traditional. The voice, deep and full, had throughout a characteristic crudity of speech which suited the colloquialisms and idioms of the frontiersman. It had also a capacity to express the convulsive changes of mood, the shifting from the ironic or mirthful to the deeply melancholy or the greatly inspired, as in the speech made in Scene 9, where, "in an Illinois town in the year 1858" he spoke from the same platform as a political opponent.

Of the many other actors, special mention should be made of Augustus Dabney as the gentle Ann Rutledge, and Muriel Kirkland as the unlovable Mrs. Lincoln. These were very fine studies, as widely differentiated as they could possibly be.

WOULD BE SEEN AS VITAL CHANGE

Newspaper Warns Against Curtailment of Vital Exports to Japan From Dutch Indies

TOKIO, May 17 (AP).—The newspaper Kukomin said today that any curtailment of vital exports to Japan from the Dutch East Indies or any shift of their resources to British capital would be considered by Tokio as a change in the status quo of the rich Netherlands Island Empire.

"Japan could not ignore any prohibition or substantial restriction on the export of vital materials to Japan on the pretext of shortages owing to the need of supplies for the Allies," said the newspaper Kukomin.

"Furthermore she would consider the status quo changed if the East Indies resources were placed under British capital."

Kukomin added that Japan also would oppose "any major increase of the East Indies armaments even if autonomously, and any change in the existing armament calculated originally to strengthen Singapore or any other Allied Far Eastern defences.

SWEEP ALIENS INTO CUSTODY

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sioners for London. Sir Ernest Gowers and Admiral Edward Evans, were appointed early last year.

The swiftness with which Prime Minister Churchill's Government followed up criticism that the first big swoop on aliens on May 12 was not broad enough, led to belief in some quarters that enemy alien women soon would be interned.

About two-thirds of the aliens rounded up today were refugees from the Nazi rule. Previously they merely had been forbidden to own automobiles or cameras, travel more than four miles from their homes or change their addresses without police approval.

The War Office announced more than 250,000 had volunteered to join the home defence force against invasion by parachute troops up to last midnight.

Sets Strength of Canadian Force

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP).—Wartime strength of the Royal Canadian Air Force has been fixed at 3,500 officers and 41,000 airmen, according to an order in council tabled in Parliament today.

Adopted on February 23, the order states that the strength mentioned shall be the maximum, and shall include the permanent active air force, the special reserve, and such members of other British Empire air forces attached to the R.C.A.F. temporarily.

B.C. Board Fixes Rate for Island Carpenters' Wage

CONSTRUCTION carpenters in Alberni and Nanaimo must receive 75 cents an hour as a minimum wage, the British Columbia Industrial Relations Board ruled yesterday. The order will become effective on May 27, within a five-mile radius of both centres. Apprentices and others permanently employed in maintenance work are exempt under the order.

Y.M.C.A. SWIMMING CLUB DANCE TONIGHT

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Friday, May 17, 1940

ANTWERP-SEDAN LINE

It is impossible to assess the fortunes of the present campaign on the Western Front, for the reason that it is in its initial stages. The purposes of the Germans are known, and something has already been experienced about the strength they are bringing to bear on their realization. The Allied purpose immediately being pursued is to prevent the enemy from establishing himself on the coastline of Belgium. That is why Allied troops have stretched the line of battle to Antwerp. Were the Germans to attain their first objective, the occupation of the coastline, they would threaten, with an outflanking movement, the northern and less strongly fortified end of the Maginot Line, as well as securing bases for aerial attacks on the British coast.

Reports of the battle in progress leave a somewhat confused picture of what is happening. It is known that there is "open warfare," that it is a war of movement rather than of position. It is known that the Germans are making intense attacks in heavy force on limited fronts, and that in some instances they are making progress, but that they are doing so at great expense in personnel and material. A heartening feature of the struggle is that, to some extent at least, the initiative in the air has been seized by the Allies. Their planes are breaking up troop movements, destroying roads, bridges and tank concentrations, and harrying the German offensive in all possible ways. The British Air Force has been engaged over a wide front, successive squadrons going into action day and night, and for every plane lost, three of the enemy are destroyed. This is a tribute to the skill, the daring and the morale of the British pilots and other members of the crews.

It will be some days yet before it is known how the tide of battle will flow, but what is certain is that the German onslaught has been slowed down, and even halted along certain sectors of the front. French, British and Belgian troops have been able to launch counter-offensives. The Allies are now in so great strength on Belgian soil that the German practice of dropping parachute troops appears to have ceased. Their air attacks behind the Allied lines also seem to be lessening. Tanks are the principal weapons in the warfare at present, and the infantry on both sides have had but a limited share in the battle. It is hard to believe, with some, that within a week or so a decision will be reached in the battle on Belgian soil. This phase of the War may well drag out over a much longer period, may even mean the taking up of positions in trenches, to which many parts of the country are adapted. It is hard, too, to believe that Germany has staked her all on the present thrust. That possibility will, in every likelihood, be disproved by a new outbreak of aggression before many days have passed.

A ROYAL COMMISSION'S REPORT

The report of the Royal Commission on Federal-Provincial Relations is a voluminous one, but the actual recommendations made are brief. For the time being the report possesses no more than an academic interest, inasmuch as there is little possibility that it will be acted upon during the War, or at all, if, as seems likely, there is opposition from the Provinces which it is proposed should be deprived of so many of their rights. The Legislatures of the various Provinces are unlikely to give a hasty decision; in fact, before they decide at all there will be a conference between representatives of their Governments and the Government at Ottawa. In the welter of War, any effect which the publication of the report would produce in normal times evaporates to a great extent. Nevertheless, it will be discussed from one end of the country to the other, and the reasons which led up to its conclusions will be examined during the course of the coming weeks. For the moment, interest centres on the actual recommendations.

It is proposed that the Provinces, in return for having their debts taken over by the Federal authority, should relinquish, to that authority, income tax, corporation duties and inheritance taxes as sources of revenue. The Dominion Government would, if this were done, provide as well for the employable unemployed, a very loose term which has never been adequately defined. The Provinces would receive no further Federal subsidies, but if their finances required it for the well being of the people, rather than that they should go into debt again, the Dominion would provide the monies needed, in addition to their budgets, a condition that would be certain to eventuate if the Provinces continue on their present spendthrift road. The recommendation of most hope in the Commission's report is that there should be a progressive decline in the sales tax; it is the only promise of any amelioration in taxation.

Broadly speaking, the report is in the nature of a history of the country's constitutional make-up and its financial developments, with changes recommended in the delimitation of the powers of taxation as between the Dominion and the Provinces. It is proposed that there should be a reshuffle of those powers, and a reshuffle, too, of rights and responsibilities. Since the Federal Government, if the report were incorporated in legislation, would look after unemployed employables, the decision has been reached already that unemployment insurance will be enacted during the Session of Parliament that opened yesterday. A sound and sensible recommendation is that the establishment of minimum wages should be a national responsibility. That is what it should always have been in the interests of inter-provincial trade. The suggestion is offered that there should be closer relationships between the Provinces and the Dominion to be brought about by regular conferences in which all the Governments concerned take part.

OFFICIAL GERMAN LIES

The falsity of German official communiques has become an almost daily occurrence. During the Norwegian campaign, lying by Berlin seemed to have reached its height. It was then claimed that the British suffered the loss of four battleships, two battle cruisers, seven cruisers, one aircraft carrier, ten destroyers, eight sumbarines and seven transports. The actual losses were four destroyers and one submarine.

The object of the exaggerated claims, made again and again by the Germans, obviously has a dual purpose. They are devised to hearten the German people and to mislead neutral opinion. Sir Archibald Hurd, a noted naval authority, said recently that the Germans have been hoping to convince Italy, which is interested in the circumscribed areas of the Mediterranean, "that the bombing aeroplane, supported by a relatively small fleet, can gain command of those waters." Sir Archibald says that what has happened in Norwegian waters dispels such an illusion.

This naval authority believes that the power of the air arm in warfare is being overestimated. It is an extension of the power of active navies and armies, but otherwise it is "merely an instrument of terror and destruction, and cannot achieve devisive results in adequately defended countries." Then Sir Archibald says: "History will repeat itself in our experience. Trafalgar was won in 1805 and Waterloo not until 1815. 'Amid all the pomp and circumstance of the war which for over ten years desolated the Continent, amid all the tramping to and fro over Europe of the French armies and their auxillary legions, there went on that noiseless pressure upon the vitals of France, that compulsion whose silence, when once noted, becomes to the observer the most striking and most awful mark of the working of sea power.' Those words were written by Admiral Mahan, the American naval historian. They will be proved true in our experience, since our supreme Navy, as events are showing, has gained in range of vision and effectiveness of action by the advent of the aeroplane."

"TOMAHTOES"

"Tomahto," or "tomayto"—The question of pronunciation has been raised again now that this vegetable, or fruit, whichever it is, looms ever larger as an item in diet and becomes more and more the object of forced culture. It was in the Ways and Means Committee of the United States Congress, which at times indulges in lighter vein, that Representative Treadway, of Massachusetts, pronounced it "tomahto," only to be contradicted promptly by Representative Cannon, of Florida, who insisted that it is "tomayto." The rest of the committee agreed with Mr. Cannon that "tomayto" is the right way, and presumably by that was meant that it is the American usage.

The Minneapolis Star-Journal points out that Webster's Dictionary approves both pronunciations, but gives precedence to "tomayto." In this The Star-Journal concurs, saying that American usage "holds that anybody who calls it "tomahto" is suspected of wearing frills on his shorts." That newspaper, however, desires to be fair in the dispute and points out that the word is Nahuatlan, the speech of the people of Montezuma, who has long disappeared from the scene. It says that in the Aztec form it is "tomatl and in the Spanish derivitive there is the noun "tomate" . . . If there is no means of determining how the Aztecs pronounced the word, it is claimed that Spanish usage should be heeded. The Star-Journal winds up its dissertation by saying that "tomatoes are best with a dressing of clear lemon juice and Spanish or Italian olive oil, however you pronounce them."

PRELUDE

I have eaten your bread and salt.
I have drunk your water and wine.
The deaths ye died I have watched beside
And the lives ye led were mine.

Was there aught that I did not share
In vigil or toil or ease,—
One joy or woe that I did not know
Dear hearts across the seas?

I have written the tale of our life
For a sheltered people's mirth,
In jesting guise—but ye are wise,
And ye know what the jest is worth.

—Rudyard Kipling

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., Thursday, May 16, 1940.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

Pressure remains high off Vancouver Island, and relatively low over Saskatchewan. The weather has been slightly warmer in British Columbia, and showers have occurred on the North Coast.

It is moderately warm in the Prairie Provinces, where scattered showers are reported.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min.	Max.
Victoria	--	48	61
Nanaimo	--	48	68
Vancouver	--	51	63
Kamloops	--	49	66
Prince George	--	38	59
Estevan Point	--	47	58
Prince Rupert	.07	42	51
Langara	.27	45	51
Atlin	--	33	47
Dawson	.01	35	56
Seattle	--	46	68
Portland	--	48	72
San Francisco	--	52	67
Spokane	--	44	68
Penticton	--	42	
Vernon	--	43	
Kelowna	--	47	65
Grand Forks	--	40	68
Nelson	--	41	65
Kaslo	--	43	
Cranbrook	--	34	63
Calgary	.13	36	53
Edmonton	--	45	58
Swift Current	Trace	43	67
Regina	Trace	40	69
Prince Albert	.02	27	[illegible]
Winnipeg	--	30	68
Wednesday—			
Toronto	--	47	52
Ottawa	--	53	67
Saint John	--	43	67
Halifax	--	42	54

THURSDAY

Minimum	48
Maximum	61
Average	54
Minimum on the grass	44

Weather, fair; sunshine, May 15, 9 hrs. 54 mins.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.30; wind, SW., 8 miles; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.29; wind, NW., 10 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.27; calm; cloudy.

Grand Forks—Barometer, 30.20; wind, N., 21 miles; fair.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.22; wind, W., 10 miles; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.39; wind, E., 10 miles; raining.

Langara—Barometer, 30.31; wind, SW., 10 miles; cloudy.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.37; wind, NW., 21 miles; fair.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.33; wind, SW., 8 miles; fair.

Portland—Barometer, 30.38; wind, NW., 15 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

A little German history is almost inescapable these days. A very little will serve. The German Empire, not Hitler, is what you are fighting. It is not quite seventy years old. Italy came to national unity almost concurrently, and both Germany and Italy, in more or less their present form, were spawned on the death of Austria as a dominant power in Europe. That is hitting the high spots only. Now, to follow Germany a little way:

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In 1861 the first Hohenzollern, William I, came to the throne in Prussia, and a year later accepted as his Prime Minister, Otto von Bismarck. The German states were a loose confederation at the time, with Austria dominant; Prussia weak but ambitious, and middle Europe still in the feudal system but inclining towards constitutional government. Bismarck repaired the weakness by building up the most advanced army in Europe over the opposition of the Prussian Parliament, which would not vote funds for that purpose. General von Moltke was the third of a triumvirate that was to influence history from that day to the present.

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"More perfect union," "the logic of history," "necessity knows no constitution," "destiny by the sword," "blood and iron," "a scrap of paper"—all of the terms used in the Hitlerian declarations of the last few years—may be found in the records of the Prussian state papers of that day. But the objective was different. Prussia was preparing for civil war in which Austria was to be forced out of the German confederation, with the quiescent assent of Russia, and the active participation of Italy. But first, there was spade-work to be done.

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Whatever his private life may have been, Bismarck, the iron chancellor, combined brains, cunning, deceit, brute force, daring boldness, and a strong will in that dangerous blend with vision and patience which is so rare in one individual (and missing in his counterpart today). Bismarck knew both how to prepare and how to wait. His method was to select a single objective, isolate the enemy from all possible support, and crush resistance by force of arms at one blow. The blows, however, were never made out of timing, never beyond reach of what might be retained and consolidated, and never diversified or split among even two points of the compass.

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For three years before 1864 Prussia was preparing to sap Denmark, as a lever against Austria. The excuse came in 1864 over control of the Duchies of Schleswig and Holstein, over which Denmark was expanding her influence. Austria nominally joined Prussia in the invasion of Schleswig and Holstein, and shared the spoils. Prussia saw to it that the division of the spoils would lead to friction, and war with Austria when she was ready. In 1866 Prussia was ready. In "the seven weeks war" Prussia marched against Austria, reaching almost to Vienna, and Austria made peace on Prussia's terms. Italy, for her aid, was given Venice; Russia, mollified previously over Poland, remained passive; Prussia confederated the north German states, and excluded Austria, which split up into Hungary and Austria.

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It required a trick to get France to declare war on Germany in 1870, but the trick was forthcoming. This time, Prussian-dominated Germany wanted Alsace-Lorraine, and the consolidation of domination over the south German states. Leopold, a Hollenzollern, was proposed for the throne of unified Italy. France objected. William I penned a conciliatory dispatch—the famous dispatch of Ems. The wording was doctored by Bismarck, and rendered insulting. The fight was on. There was tremendous excitement in the streets of Paris. France declared war on the German confederacy, which was what Bismarck had foreseen, and General von Moltke had prepared for, during some years' time. Riddled by spies, mapped, outwitted and beaten in the field, France lost. Fighting continued for some ten months. Paris was beseiged for weeks, and its defenders were starving. On January 18, 1871, the German confederacy was proclaimed to be the German Empire, in the Hall of Mirrors at Versailles.

In 1888, William II succeeded to the throne in Germany, and for the first time in modern history, world domination was plotted. The war of 1914-1918 followed, over a trumped-up excuse at Serajevo. Another "scrap of paper" was torn up. Belgium was invaded, France overrun, and deliberate and wilfully-planned aggression did its best to conquer the field. It failed. Bismarck, von Moltke, the real kings of Prussia, were gone. Nor have their places been filled.

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It is dangerous to anticipate history. If the main premise that the air is more powerful than the sea is incorrect, Germany is ill-prepared for world domination. If actual control of the air is taken by the Allies, Germany may face another stone wall. The army of France, in defence of beloved French acres, is not the army of Napoleon III. Germany's bites have been circumferential, ringing her with temporarily-enslaved but openly hostile peoples. The preparations to defeat a world were somewhat hurried. Every major war in history has ended when gaps in the fighting ranks could no longer be filled. Under modern, high-speed warfare, that time may come swiftly. Today the test is on. We bring to it, not automatons in armor, but free men, men with a soul.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

"WAKE UP, CANADA!"

Sir,—When the hot winds of falsehood and brutal oppression are howling around our ears, and it would seem that freedom and kindly simple faith were to be driven from the earth, I like to go and drink a draught at the fountain of English literature that has been such an inspiration to free men down through 300 years of our brave island story. I refer to the blind Puritan poet John Milton's address to the Lords and Commons of England on the "Liberty of the Press." Who that has ever read that noble passage in which he appeals to his audience to "Consider what a nation it is whereof ye are, and whereof ye are the governors; a nation not slow and dull, but of a quick, ingenious and piercing spirit; acute to invent, subtile and sinewy to discourse; not beneath the reach of any point that human capacity can soar to. Methinks I see in my mind a noble and puissant nation rousing herself like a strong man after sleep, and shaking her invincible locks; methinks I see her as a mighty eagle mewing her mighty youth, and kindling her undazzled eyes at the full mid-day beam, purging and unscaling her long-abused sight at the fountain itself of heavenly radiance; while the whole noise of timorous and flocking birds, with those also that love the twilight flutter about, amazed at what she means."

When John Milton was granted this vision in his mind, surely it must have been to this very day in which we live, that his inner sight had reference.

Within the past few days the old British lion has roused itself from its lethargy, has taken on a new lease of life and of power, has once again mewed its mighty youth, and amazed the timorous and flocking birds, who imagined that its day was done.

However dark the days may be that are yet in store; however rough the road we may be called upon to travel; let us comfort our hearts with John Milton's words: "Let truth with falsehood grapple, and whoever knew truth put to the worse in a free and open encounter." Battered it may be, but as a really great German declared centuries ago, "Truth is an anvil that has worn out many a hammer."

Britain has girded up its loins for the fray, but, sir, just what is our Canada doing?

DAVID GRIEVE TUCKWELL.
1175 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C.,
May 14, 1940.

FOREIGNERS IN CANADA

Sir,—Are we Canadians going to sit back and let foreign-born, unnaturalized people in Canada take the jobs, farms, etc., here in this Dominion from our own boys while we go and fight for our country? Our Government apparently is very quiet on that subject. A good many more Canadians would throw their jobs to the side and shoulder a gun and fight for our King and country if this subject was taken up immediately and something done about it. The foreigners make their bread and butter in this country, therefore they should be made to take out naturalization papers and share the hardships on the battlefield or be put in a concentration camp for the period of the war, making vacancies in the industries for older men and those unfit for army service.

JAMES G. SPENCER.
Hillcrest, Duncan, B.C., May 14, 1940

The Observation Car

By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Glancing Over Sport

We must take off our hats to Vancouver at that. Take a look over the Canadian championships won. The Vancouver Maple Leafs have just won the national cage crown, the Radials are present Dominion soccer rulers, and the New Westminster Adanacs are monarchs of the lacrosse world. That's not all, Kenny Black headed East last year and returned with the Canadian amateur golf diadem . . . Just a little over a month from now the annual Graphic Arts golf tournament will be held at the Colwood course. Newspapermen, printers, stereotypers, pressmen and others in the same business will be striving to capture the handsome piece of silverware. In the early books, the experts pick Ollie, "Red," Jake, Bob, and many more, along with Joe-Joe the Tiger to head the field when the day's firing is all finished . . . It looks as if the Eagles will be the team to beat in the Victoria Baseball League this season. Scrappy Bill Bridgewood has his squad going at top speed and is certainly headed for the pennant the feathered tribe just missed last season . . . Had a letter from Chris Bloomfield, former well-known football official, the other day from Ottawa. He is now second in command of the postal service at the Dominion capital and wishes all his friends in the soccer world and otherwise the best.—J.D.

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Decision Reserved

"What do you think of my new Summer dress and hat?" our tobacconist friend's wife timidly asked at dinner time. The tobacconist's head was filled with proceedings of a recent police court case. "Decision reserved until presentation of the bill of costs," he remarked . . . Bernie, the barber, told the light of his life that he could make her the happiest girl in seven provinces. "See here, Bernie, don't you ever think I am going to live in a trailer," she sniffed . . . Comic indeed were the efforts of a bluejacket to start a stubborn one-lung motorcycle. He set out in the depths of Fairfield district and was still trying to coax life in the puddle jumper when we last saw him on Douglas Street. Along Southgate Street he pushed the vehicle and leaped into the saddle several times with his trousers flapping like ships sails. Each time he was rewarded by a few feeble putt-putts. He set a course along Humboldt Street and continued the series of pushes and leaps. He paused briefly outside the hospital to cool off his beet-red face, but not once did he use an angry word. Probably a few would have helped. At the intersection of Douglas Street a kindly truck driver suggested a tow. The bluejacket endeavored to balance the machine while he held on to the truck with one hand. Twice he fell off, and wearily told the driver it was no use. He pushed the motorbike to the corner of Broughton Street and coasted down the Douglas Street slope. "Try walking. It's faster," a pedestrian advised, but the sailor kept on. Quite likely it was just another case of an empty tank.—G.B.

According to Culbertson

"Dear Mr. Culbertson: The players in our regular Saturday night bridge game do not qualify as master players, but I am sure the best of them deal no more interesting hands. Look at this little number.

"West dealer.

"Neither side vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ A K 10 5 3
♥ A J 10 6 3
♦ Q J 3
♣ —

WEST
♠ —
♥ K 8 4
♦ 8 7 5 4
♣ A Q J 10 9 2

EAST
♠ 9 7 6 2
♥ Q 9 7 5
♦ K
♣ 8 6 5 3

SOUTH
♠ Q J 8 4
♥ 2
♦ A 10 9 6 2
♣ K 7 4

"Final contract six spades by North, doubled by East. Opening lead, singleton king of diamonds by East.

"Notice that the hand is a 'Corrigan.' Because the three losing clubs in the South hand must be trumped out, the hand must be played backward, using South's trumps to take care of East.

"Notice, also, that unless one of North's diamond honors is dropped on South's ace at the first trick good defence will defeat the contract.

"Declarer wins the first trick with dummy's ace of diamonds, dropping the queen or jack from the closed hand. A club must be led immediately and trumped high from the closed hand. Dummy is re-entered with a small trump to the queen, and another club is trumped high. Dummy again is entered by leading a low trump. On this lead the established finesse is taken against East's nine spot.

"The third club now is led and trumped with North's last spade. Next the jack of diamonds is led, and if East stays off, is followed by the small diamond. East must trump one of these, otherwise seven will be made. Whatever East leads after trumping the diamond, declarer takes the rest.

"Notice the situation if declarer fails to unblock the diamonds at the first trick. East then has only to trump declarer's diamond at trick seven, throw him in again with a heart and the contract cannot be made.

P. R., Illinois."

I am particularly fond of "dummy reversal" hands, but I am afraid that this is not a particularly happy example. Far from North's having to ruff dummy's three clubs and later to use dummy's trumps to pick up East's, declarer cannot only make his contract but an extra trick by playing in a perfectly straightforward manner.

The diamond king is taken by the ace and now it is true that North must drop one of his blocking honors. But his second play should be a heart to the ace and a heart ruff with the spade four. The lead of the spade queen discloses the trump situation. Now the spade eight is led to the ten and a second heart is ruffed with dummy's last trump, the jack. Now declarer returns to his own hand by ruffing a club, the first time he has shortened himself in trumps. East's remaining trumps are picked up by the ace and king, and declarer wins the last four tricks by cashing the diamond queen and leading the diamond three to the nine spot.

It will be observed that there is no risk involved in this method of play and that it not only insures the contract, but an extra trick as well.

TOMORROW'S HAND

North, dealer.
Team of four scoring
North-South vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ Q 9
♥ K J 5 3
♦ 8 4 2
♣ 10 6 5 3

WEST
♠ A K 7 6 5
♥ Q 6 4
♦ 9
♣ A K J 8

EAST
♠ J 8 3 2
♥ 10 9 8
♦ 10 7
♣ Q 7 4 2

SOUTH
♠ 10 4
♥ A 7 2
♦ A K Q J 6 5 3
♣ 9

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's column.

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BRITAIN TO REDUCE RATIONS OF SUGAR, BUTTER AND BACON

LONDON, May 16 (CP).—A reduction in rations of butter, bacon and sugar was announced tonight by Lord Woolton, the Food Minister, in reviewing the situation created by loss of Dutch and Scandinavian supplies and the need for vital shipping space.

The butter ration will be cut from eight to four ounces per person a week starting on June 3. The sugar rationing will be cut from twelve to eight ounces a week starting on May 27, and the bacon ration will be reduced "soon."

The Food Ministry said the reduction in sugar allowances was due to the partial failure of the British West Indies crop and the need for conserving currency resources.

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FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of May 17, 1890)

At Government Grounds—Yesterday morning a meeting of the illumination committee was held in Hon. Mr. Turner's office, when it was decided to decorate and illuminate the Government grounds, James Bay, in preference to Beacon Hill Park. The experience of past years shows how beautiful an effect can be produced by lanterns and fireworks at the spot chosen. The matter of illuminations will be taken in hand personally by Mr. Turner, and all citizens will also be requested to adorn as thoroughly as possible their homes and places of business.

Arrival of a Sealer—The Wanderer, Captain Paxton, arrived yesterday with about seventy skins. The captain reports very foggy weather for a number of days past. Three days ago he passed Captain Spring, who reported good news in the shape of a lucky run for his two vessels, the Cape and Favorite, with about 250 skins.

Iron Ore at Westminster—On Thursday, while the Westminster chain gang were excavating for a new water reservoir just north of the new gaol building, they struck a large bed of iron ore of excellent quality. An assay of the ore will be made and its value ascertained.

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B.E.F. Drives Nazis Out of Louvain in Hand-to-Hand Fight

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fighting in the vicinity of Walcheren and Beverland, in the unsurrendered Southwestern province of Zeeland, was "heavy."

Brussels broadcasts reflected optimism. King Leopold called by radio to his men in "the forts of Liege" to "resist to the utmost for the Fatherland."

A broadcaster admitted that German mechanized columns had broken through "to a considerable depth" at several Belgian points, but declared German infantry, "closely held" by the Allies, had not supported the mechanized columns.

Wounded, both German and British, began reaching England. Between thirty and forty wounded German prisoners were brought to London today, and 200 to 300 British casualties, half of them stretcher cases, reached Liverpool from France and Norway.

AIR MINISTRY STATEMENT

LONDON, May 16 (CP-Havas).—The following statement was issued tonight by the Air Ministry concerning the large-scale air operations on the Western Front.

"The success of our large-scale bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany is best shown by the attempt in today's German high command communique to minimize their importance.

"It is, however, noteworthy that strict orders were today broadcast to the German people to observe the blackout regulations in the interest of the whole nation, which must be spared any damage from the air.

"The damage inflicted by last night's bombing operations was, in fact, extensive and covered a wide area. With the assistance of moonlight and detailed knowledge of the country learned by many previous reconnaissances, the largest force of R.A.F. bombers yet employed in a single operation set out from airdromes in France and Great Britain.

DEVASTATING RESULTS

"Each crew was given specific military objectives and instructions that bombs were not to be dropped indiscriminately. A few aircraft failed to locate their objectives and did not drop their bombs, but the majority found and bombed their targets with great effect, causing widespread damage and many explosions and fires.

"Long-range heavy bombers of the Whitly, Wellington and Hampden types took part in the operation. No opposition was offered by the enemy fighters, but the ground defences were active. Large numbers of searchlights were encountered and the approach of our bombers was a signal for heavy fire.

"Despite the opposition, our attacks were pressed home. One Whitly bomber made three separate runs over its target at varying heights. Two hits were registered, one on a main road and the other on a railway line, four tracks being plainly visible in the flash of the explosion.

ENCAMPMENT ATTACKED

"Other Whitlys successfully bombed roads leading to bridges, setting the adjoining woods alight, and also attacked a military encampment, whose position was revealed by the light of parachute flares.

"Another Whitly scored a direct hit in the centre of a mechanized column two miles long. Railway junctions, main road crossings, and an important autobahn (speedway) were among the objectives successfully attacked by a Wellington formation.

"One of these Wellingtons coming down through a layer of cloud emerged in the centre of a balloon barrage. By banking steeply, the aircraft just managed to escape collision with the cables.

"Several direct hits were scored on another mechanized column by Hampden bombers. They also attacked road and rail communications. Four minutes after a direct hit had been registered on a railway junction, sheets of flame burst up out of the target.

"Another direct hit resulted in an explosion of such force that aircraft several thousand feet up were rocked by the blast. In spite of the size and diversity of the operation and the large force employed, only one of our aircraft failed to return.

ASSIST ALLIED INFANTRY

"Simultaneously, a night operation was carried out by Wellington and Whitly aircraft to assist Allied infantry in countering an enemy attack in the neighborhood of Tournhout and Dinant. These aircraft all returned safely.

"Day bombing operations were also carried out yesterday in the neighborhood of Montherme and Dinant by two squadrons of Blenheim aircraft. In these raids heavy damage was caused to parked lorries and tanks. Two Blenheims have failed to return.

"Our fighter pilots had a good day. There was no lack of targets and attacks were pressed home from dawn to dusk. A formation of six Hurricanes attacked twenty-five Messerschmitt 110's and shot down five.

"In another case two Hurricanes intercepted nine Messerschmitt 110's and shot down four. Four other encounters resulted in the loss to the enemy of twenty aircraft.

"In all, during the day fifty enemy aircraft were destroyed.

"The daily toll inflicted on the enemy aircraft is working out at more than three to one in our favor."

GERMAN WARNING

BERLIN, May 16 (AP).—D.N.B. the German news agency, claimed tonight that Nazi troops were massed in the Dyle River sector from Antwerp south to Namur to attempt a push forward to Brussels and Channel ports.

"Several million of the best-equipped soldiers are facing each other in this area," D.N.B. claimed.

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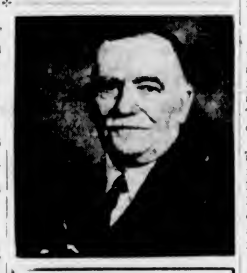

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As time goes on, it becomes more and more apparent to the people of Victoria that Mosby's Tonic is a medicine of True, Genuine Merit. This is a New, Scientific Mixture of Nature's Roots and Herbs and Other Splendid Medicinal Agents, now being introduced to crowds daily here in Victoria by a Special Mosby's Tonic Representative, known as The MOSBY TONIC Man, at the Cunningham Drug Store (formerly Vancouver Drug Co.), Fort and Douglas Sts. Leading Druggists throughout this entire Victoria section are reporting increasing sales of Mosby's Tonic. And at the same time, some of the city's best known residents are coming forward with Sincere Statements, describing what Mosby's Tonic did for them and endorsing it to others who suffer in the same way. Drug men say nothing like this has ever occurred here before. Among the latest well-known people who praise Mosby's Tonic, none is more enthusiastic than Mr. E. R. Snider, of Saanichton, B.C. His statement appears as follows:

Stomach Gas Made His Breathing Difficult

"I had a long period of suffering with stomach gas and bloat," said Mr. Snider. "I bloated so bad after every meal and swelled so tight with gas that it was difficult for me to breathe, in fact, I finally got so I was AFRAID TO EAT, because I actually thought I might fill up with so much gas that it would almost stop my breathing. The pain from this gas and bloat was so intense that I can't even describe it. I couldn't get my proper sleep at night because of it, and sometimes I would lie awake for hours at a time and wonder if I would ever get relief. I was subject to headaches, and my bowels were very sluggish and almost always constipated.

Mosby's Tonic Gave Splendid Relief.

"I spent considerable money trying to get relief from this suffering. Even tried dieting and special treatments, but never found anything that really helped me. So you can see that I was a badly discouraged person, and didn't know if I would ever feel any better. But finally I found Mosby's Tonic, and will say to you that I never saw anything act like this medicine. It worked the gas and bloat accumulations from my stomach organs, and now I eat anything and actually don't know what stomach gas is any more. I have to smile now when I think how afraid I used to be that the stomach gas would stop my breathing. You can believe I don't have any trouble getting my breath now. The pain's are gone from my stomach, and I can go to bed and sleep all night and get up feeling fresh and rested. My bowels are more regular since I took Mosby's Tonic than they have been IN YEARS. I have lots of new energy, and feel years younger. All my friends can see the change in me and I tell them 'Mosby's Tonic did it.' I'd pay $10.00 a bottle for this medicine if I had to. It is Splendid."

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Allied Fleet Prepared in the Near East

The British battleships, Resolution and Barham, are shown in the harbor at Port Said, Egypt, one end of the Suez Canal, where the Allied fleet is massed, as tense eyes watch developments in the Mediterranean. Possible spread of the war to the Mediterranean brought the concentration of ships with Britain and France affirming their determination to fulfill obligations in the Near East.

REED — Funeral services for Alfred John Reed were held on Thursday afternoon in St. Paul's Garrison Church. Rev. Arthur Bischlager conducted the services and interment was made in Colwood Burial Park, with the following as pallbearers: W. S. Davey, A. Stewart, H. G. Lancaster, G. Stringer, J. Norman and H. J. Green.

BRISCOE—There passed away in Vancouver on May 16 Eunice Emily Briscoe, of 2539 Shakespeare Street, Victoria, in her fifty-second year. She is survived by her husband in Calgary, three daughters, Mrs. R. Hudson and Mrs. R. Colebert, Victoria; Mrs. J. P. Taylor, Vancouver; one son, Leslie, in Calgary, and one brother, L. Sargent, in Victoria. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4.15 o'clock in Simmons and McBride Funeral Chapel, Vancouver, with Rev. W. J. Minto Swan officiating. Interment will be in Forest Lawn Memorial Park.

MATCH INDUSTRY HALTED

STOCKHOLM, May 16 (AP).—The entire Swedish match industry will shut down May 27, owing to the impossibility of exportation, it was announced today.

PLANS TO AWARD SERVICE BADGES

White Metal Buttons to Be Issued To Men Retiring From Active Duty

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP).—Plans for a service badge for members of Canada's fighting forces now retired from active service were announced in an order in council tabled in Parliament today.

The badges will not be issued until the order has been proclaimed in The Canada Gazette.

They will be white metal buttons bearing three maple leaves and three fleurs-de-lis in red enamel with the single word "Service" in a panel. A Union Jack will be a central figure.

Members of the navy, air force or army who have served three continuous months with pay and have been retired through physical disability will be the only persons entitled to wear the badges, and a penalty of $500 fine or six months' imprisonment will be imposed for unauthorized use of such badges.

KEEPING UP

It seems one can only mark time and try to keep the ship afloat in a modern way until we strike rock bottom.—Letter from U.S.A.

On the whole, the old-fashioned way of floating seems safer.

Obituary

ARNOTH—The funeral of Nels Arnoth will be held this afternoon, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 1:30 and proceeding to St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, where service will be held at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in the Naval Cemetery.

POWLEY—The funeral service for Benjamin Powley was held in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon, Rev. F. Comley officiating. The congregational hymn was "Now the Day Is Over," and Mrs. C. A. Goodwin sang as a solo "No Night There." Cremation at Royal Oak followed the service.

DOULL—Funeral services will be held this afternoon in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel for Mrs. Margaret Ann Doull. Rev. C. D. Clarke will conduct the services at 3:30 o'clock after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

BROWN—The funeral of Mrs. Jessie W. Brown will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel. Rev. T. G. Griffiths will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

BROWN—Funeral services were held in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel on Thursday afternoon for Mrs. Catherine Brown. Captain the Rev. Alan Gardiner conducted the services, during which the hymns, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "Rock of Ages," were sung. "The Old Rugged Cross" was also sung as a solo by Mrs. Bert Noel. Interment was made in the family plot in Colwood Burial Park, with the following as pallbearers: R. Hampton, W. Best, J. H. Collett, G. N. Adams, G. Brown and Mr. Lamoraux.

Provincial Premiers Reserve Comment on Commission's Report

Attorney-General of Ontario Says Consideration Of Findings on Dominion-Provincial Relations Should Await End of the War

By The Canadian Press

CANADIAN authorities generally have reserved final judgment on the report of the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial Relations pending further study of the voluminous document made public yesterday.

"It would be foolish to pass any final judgment on the very exhaustive report without having taken ample time to study it," said Premier John Bracken of Manitoba. Other available Premiers, in general, corroborated this statement.

In Ontario, a recommendation the provinces assume greater control over municipal finances, met with a cool reception, but the province's mayors, on the other hand, gave guarded approval to the proposal that the entire burden of unemployment relief, except aid to unemployables, be placed on the Dominion Government.

NO IMMEDIATE COMMENT

At Quebec, where the Government is considering a bill that would place the city of Montreal under the "surveyance and control" of the Quebec Municipal Commission, Premier Adelard Godbout declined immediate comment in view of the fact he has not yet had time to study the report.

Provincial Secretary Harry Nixon of Ontario, speaking in the absence of Premier Hepburn, expressed the opinion the commission's findings should be considered after the war, rather than at present. "We should concentrate on winning the war," he said.

FROM NOVA SCOTIA

Premier Angus Macdonald of Nova Scotia said he was "pleased to note that some specific recommendations which the Province made to the commission have been accepted."

Premier Thane Campbell of Prince Edward Island described the report as "comprehensive" and said it would require detailed study by the provinces in conference with the Dominion. New Brunswick's Premier, Hon. J. McNair, and Premier T. D. Pattullo of British Columbia declined comment until they have studied the report.

SMUGGLED CHINESE

MOUNT VERNON, Wash., May 16 (AP).—Immigration Officer C. E. Moore, said today authorities had arrested Lawrence Chadsey, of Saidis, B.C., on a charge of smuggling a Chinese, Bork Yem Jong, Victoria, B.C., into the United States by hiding the man in the luggage compartment of an automobile.

TWO OIL ZONES SET ON ISLAND

Vancouver Island Divided Into Zones 1 and 3 Under Price Control Order

Two selling zones are renewed on Vancouver Island under the Provincial Fuel Board's Regulation No. 11, ratified by the Cabinet this week. In Zone 1, including Victoria and much of the east coast of the Island, regular gasoline will sell for 1 cent less than in Zone 3. How this will affect trade on the border line between the two zones was not clear.

In drafting the order, which does not apply to petroleum sold for marine engines, the board set specifications for standard and premium grades of gasoline with their selling prices in fifteen zones throughout the province.

On Vancouver Island and the Mainland west of Hope, the retail spread is confirmed at 4 cents, and east of Hope 5 cents, with some addition in northern areas. The regulation is in full effect, after its approval by order in council this week.

CORONER'S JURY AT SCENE OF ACCIDENT

NANAIMO, May 16.—A coroner's jury investigating the deaths of William Atkinson, of the United Mine Workers of America, and Fritz Anderson, killed near South Wellington when their car and a truck collided, visited the scene of the accident for the third time this afternoon. C. Murray Reynolds, counsel for Jimmy Jones, Ladysmith, driver of the truck, requested that they revisit the scene, accompanied by counsel engaged by interested parties, to determine if evidence given by Constable A. E. Gunn, which conflicted with measurements of a vital point on the road as shown on a map put in as an exhibit, was correct. The map was ordered altered in accordance with the officer's evidence.

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Sir Bindon Blood Dies in London

LONDON, May 16 (CP).—General Sir Bindon Blood, "father of the British Army," died today. He was ninety-eight.

Sir Bindon was a descendant of the Colonel Blood who stole the Crown jewels when Oliver Cromwell seized power.

He was appointed chief of the Royal Corps of Engineers at the age of ninety-three.

He began his military career in India as a lad, sailing around the Cape of Good Hope in the days before the Suez Canal was built. Once Winston Churchill was his aide-de-camp, and of Britain's present-day Prime Minister Sir Bindon said in his memoirs: "A right good one he was."

GIRLS' DRILL TEAM ENTERTAINS SOLDIERS

So great was the reception tendered the Victoria Girls' Drill Team by the soldiers at the Y.M.C.A. hut, Macaulay Point, on Wednesday evening, that a repeat performance will be staged in the same canteen on Tuesday, May 28. The team performed as two units; the first drills featured the thirty-two members and the others the sixteen-girl team.

Also appearing on the programme were: Eva Milne, tap dancer; Lance Corporals Fred Usher and Bob McGill, novelty duets, and Ernest Crockford, magician.

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Reception	3 lbs. 91c	Loins, lb.	35c
Grade "A" Large Eggs, dozen	25c	Shoulders, lb.	25c
Grade "A" Medium, dozen	23c	Alberta Lamb, Shoulders, lb.	20c
Sliced Side Bacon, lb.	25c	Alberta Lamb, Legs, lb.	32c
Sliced Reception Bacon, lb.	30c	Boneless Leg Veal Roasts, lb.	30c
Rolled Ham—our cure, lb.	49c	Boneless Shoulder Veal Roasts, lb.	22c
Cottage Cheese, lb.	11c	Breasts Veal	3 lbs. 25c
Roasted Chickens, each, from	75c	Rolled Ribs Beef, lb.	25c
Roast Beef, lb.	45c	Rolled Pot Roasts, lb.	18c
Squirrel Peanut Butter	2 lbs. 19c	Rolled Oven Roasts, lb.	20c
No. 1 Fresh Scanich Tomatoes Table ripe	2 lbs. 39c	Romp Roasts, lb.	22c and 25c
		Sirloin Tip Roasts, lb.	23c and 27c
		Pork Shoulders, lb.	15c
		Lean Pork Roll Roasts, lb.	20c
		Loin Pork Chops, lb.	25c
		Red Spring Salmon, lb.	23c
		White Spring Salmon, lb.	16c
		Frying Chickens, each	15c up
		Roasting Chickens, lb.	32c
		Nice Turkeys, No. 1, lb.	32c
		C. & B. Soups, 16-oz. tins	2 for 29c
		Grapefruit Juice, 20-oz. tins	2 for 21c
		Asparagus Cuttings	2 for 21c
		Quaker Corn Flakes	4 for 25c
		Jelly Powders, each	5c
		Graham Wafers, 1-lb. pkt.	17c
		Ginger Jins	15c
		K-9 Dog Food, 1lb	9c
Local Spinach	2 lbs. 9c		
Local Asparagus, lb.	12½c, 17½c		
No. 1 Nelled Gem Potatoes, all	8 lbs. 25c		
New Potatoes	6 lbs. 25c		
Large Fancy Oranges, dozen	58c		
Large Juicy Oranges, dozen	30c		
Texas Grapefruit	5 for 25c		
Fancy Yellow Newtown Apples	4 lbs. 25c		
California Grapefruit	6 for 25c		
Mild Canadian Cheese, lb.	23c		
Medium Canadian Cheese, lb.	27c		
Mature Canadian Cheese, lb.	35c		
Pork Sausage, small	2 lbs. 45c		
Large	2 lbs. 35c		
Beef and Pork Sausage	2 lbs. 25c		

WOULD TALLY MEN IN B.C.

Vancouver Endorses Plan to Register All Males on Lower Mainland

VANCOUVER, May 16 (CP).—Possibility that all male residents of British Columbia's Lower Mainland would be required to register, as a precautionary step against war emergencies, was seen tonight when Mayor Lyle Telford of Vancouver endorsed a registration scheme advanced by Fred Hume, mayor of New Westminster.

Mayor Hume's plan will require all male citizens in New Westminster between the ages of sixteen and sixty to register with civic authorities—commencing next Monday. They must state their nationality, their willingness to volunteer for local service and their military experience, if any.

Mayor Telford said tonight he favored a similiar registration plan for Vancouver, and that he would suggest such action at a meeting of the Police Commission tomorrow morning. He said he felt registration should be conducted under "properly constituted authority," and not haphazardly.

ANXIOUS TO HELP

"A lot of people are anxious to do something," Mayor Telford said, "and registration will give them a feeling of reassurance."

The mayor did not say whether the Vancouver plan would be compulsory, but Mayor Hume said failure of New Westminster citizens to register would bring "official action." The demand for internment of enemy aliens and registration of all other aliens was growing throughout the province.

In Vancouver and Victoria and in cities throughout the Okanagan, meetings of war veterans have been called, or will be called, to deal with the subject of possible "Fifth Column" activity in the province. At Kelowna and Trail Canadian Legion branches have asked that the Government intern all enemy aliens and investigate all enemy aliens who become naturalized since 1918.

GUARD WATERWORKS

In Penticton the municipal council has ordered irrigation systems and waterworks dams guarded against any possible sabotage attempt, and in Vernon the city council joined the Canadian Legion in requesting the Government to lock up enemy aliens.

Confidence that the Royal Canadian Mounted Police have any "fifth column" activity in South Vancouver, where earlier this week a member of the Canadian Legion claimed that 5,000 Germans live within twenty blocks, well in hand was voiced by Chief Constable Donald McKay.

The chief constable's remarks were corroborated by Mayor Telford, who said the "people do not need to think that the situation is being neglected."

Despite the statement of the police chief, Robert Wilkinson, Dominion president of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, said he had telegraphed Defence Minister Norman Rogers requesting assurance that the R.C.M.P. has the alien situation "under control."

Another organization which joined in the protest was the Vancouver branch of the Disabled Veterans' Association which asked the Government to suspend naturalization for the duration and requested authorities to use the 60,000 veterans who registered last Fall for emergency service.

Gives Hints On Writing For Stage

Helpful advice on the writing of plays and the production of drama was given by A. M. D. Fairbairn at a meeting of the Victoria and Islands Branch of the Canadian Authors' Association in the Empress Hotel last night.

The essential gift for a playwright was a sense of the dramatic, the speaker said. The central character should always be in a dilemma, with obstacles to overcome. Situation was the backbone of drama, and suspense should be maintained to keep the audience guessing. There should be many incidents, several situations, and only one climax. Mr. Fairbairn also stressed the importance of naturalness in play acting. To illustrate his points, he gave a critical analysis of recent popular screen plays.

The meeting was held under the presidency of Mrs. Myrtle Lane. The poetry convener, Miss Floris McLaren, read poems published by the following members of the association: Miss Doris Fern, Miss Ann Marriott, Mrs. Jean Mutter and Miss Eugenie Perry. Mrs. Clare Yardley read an article on magazine writing and vocal solos were given by Mrs. Johns.

June 13 to Be the King's Birthday

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP).—The Dominion Government has passed an order in council fixing June 13 as the date for celebration of the birthday of King George VI. His Majesty's actual birthday is December 14, but shortly after he became King he expressed a desire that his birthday be observed during a warmer month. Since that time the Government has fixed the date.

ACCURACY TO COME FIRST

British Minister of Information Tells Public About War News

LONDON, May 16 (CP).—Alfred Duff Cooper, new Minister of Information, said in a broadcast tonight, his first since assuming his new duties, that "we at home should be as well prepared to receive bad news as those in the battle line are prepared to receive bullets from the enemy."

Not all rumors are as laughable, he said, as the one being spread by the Germans that "The King is packing up his trunks and leaving for Canada immediately."

"Such rumors make us laugh," he said, "but other rumors only a little less absurd might make some faint-hearted people tremble."

He urged his hearers not only to "refuse to believe rumors yourselves, but also to discourage those who spread rumors and see in them the enemies of public confidence."

WEIGH THE FACTS

The minister quoted Lord Haig, British commander-in-chief in the last war, as saying "no news is ever so good or so bad as it sounds when you first hear it."

"I would advise all listeners to remember that saying as often as they can in the days that lie before us, when sensational news is reported to them," Mr. Duff Cooper declared.

He conceived his duties as Minister of Information to be giving "the people of this country a maximum of information in a minimum of time."

"Accuracy and speed should be our two objects," he said. "One often interferes with the other, but accuracy should come first.

"I am sure you will agree with me that it is better to get your information a few hours later and get the truth, than to get it a few hours earlier, and be either unduly depressed or unduly elated by news that subsequently turns out to be false."

GRADUALLY TAKE THE UPPER HAND

STOCKHOLM, May 16 (AP).—A bitter struggle for possession of Narvik, Norway's Arctic iron ore port, appeared tonight to be intensifying with the Allies reported to be getting light tanks into action and gradually winning the upper hand.

Some Swedish press reports said an Allied occupation of German-held Narvik itself might be expected soon.

Heavy German convoy movements south from Norway toward Denmark were reported from the West Coast Swedish port of Goteborg. Whether they were transports or supply ships was not known.

Announcements

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City and District

Made Justice of Peace—R. R. F. Sewell, Saanich, was appointed a justice of the peace by Provincial order yesterday.

News of Bereavement — Miss C. Maney, 750 Fort Street, has received word from England that her youngest sister, Miss Laura Maney, Headingly, Leeds, England, passed away suddenly after a short illness.

Tree Stolen — The city parks superintendent reported to police yesterday that a flowering cherry tree had been stolen from a boulevard in the 100 block on Cook Street and three windows smashed in a building at Central Park.

Horses for Nanaimo—The Empire Day Association at Nanaimo was authorized by the Provincial Government yesterday to carry out two days' horse racing in connection with festivities planned for May 24 and 25, with exemption under the Horse Racing Regulation Act.

Issue Fuel Licences—Eighteen retail and three wholesale fuel licences were issued by the Provincial Fuel Control Board yesterday, with Provincial approval; seventeen for retail gasoline and three for wholesale gasoline. One licence for retail coal sales was also granted.

Street Names—The inter-municipal committee was addressed by residents of McKenzie Street, Yew Street and Hollywood Place, who objected to any change in the names, during a meeting at the City Hall yesterday afternoon. A report will be presented at the next council meeting.

Dies in Hospital—Robert Boyd, twenty-three years of age, died in hospital at Port Alberni yesterday, according to advices to the Island Division of the Provincial Police. On Tuesday Boyd was taken to hospital after receiving injuries in lumber operations at Camp 1 of the Alberni Pacific Lumber Company. Relatives are believed to reside at Vancouver.

Must Carry Kits—Amending regulations under the Motor Carriers Act yesterday, the Provincial Public Works Commission directed that public passenger vehicles in certain services must carry first-aid kits, fire extinguishers and other equipment for the protection of the public. Vehicles of less than seven-passenger capacity are not affected.

Public Invited—Beautiful blooms of varied types are in full array at "Inglenook Gardens," home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waddell, who have issued an invitation to visitors and residents to inspect them at 3540 Maplewood Road. A Red Cross box has been placed in the garden for contributions from those who enjoy the garden's beauty.

Thirteen Fined—Nine motorists were each fined $2.50 in the city police court for various infractions of parking regulations yesterday. Two each paid fines of $2.50 for neglecting to have car rear lights illuminated. One was fined $25 for driving in a manner dangerous to the public. Another paid a fine of $10 for exceeding the speed limit.

Killed In Woods—A. Miller, employed as a logger at the Matheson and Piggan camp at Seymour Narrows, was struck by a falling snag and injured fatally yesterday morning, according to advices to the Provincial Police. An inquest was ordered, and will be held at Campbell River at 10 a.m. today. No details of the accident were transmitted.

Certificate Issued—The Provincial Public Utilities Commission issued a certificate of public convenience this week to the West Kootenay Power & Light Co., Ltd., for the operation of the second large plant on Upper Bonnington, where an enlarged dam, buildings and new generators will bring 50,000 additional horsepower into service. The certificate was approved by order in council yesterday.

Concert at Canteen—A large number of men from the forces enjoyed the weekly entertainment at the Salvation Army Three Services Canteen, Broad Street, on Wednesday evening. The programme was arranged by the Rotary Club and included the following: Thomas Kelway, James McGrath and Leonard Foster, and the Rotary Club orchestra. Mr. Kelway also led community singing.

To Be Discontinued — Effective May 18, Saturday afternoon letter carrier deliveries will be discontinued, according to Postmaster G. H. Gardiner. At the same time, Postmaster Gardiner draws to the attention of the public the special delivery system, delivery of special delivery letters being made each day, Saturdays and Sundays included upon payment of the special delivery fee.

New Dwellings—H. Rupert Brown secured a $2,000 city building permit yesterday to erect a four-room house at 2745 Belmont Avenue. It will measure twenty-six by twenty-two feet with fir floors and stucco exterior walls. The Carver Construction Company was granted a $2,500 permit to construct a four-room home at 212 Robertson Street. It will measure twenty-seven by thirty feet with fir and oak floors and stucco exterior walls.

Ward Seven Ratepayers — The Ward Seven Saanich Ratepayers' Association held its monthly meeting in Tillicum School recently, which was well attended. Councillor L. H. Pagsmore made a report on asking the council about seats for bus patrons. Councillor F. C. Warren concluded his talk, which he began last month, on the new water system project, which was very interesting and instructive. He also answered a number of questions. The next meeting will be held June 16.

Comment Reserved—Premier Pattullo, at Vancouver, and other members of the Provincial Government here, declined to comment on the report of the Rowell Commission yesterday, preferring to await developments at the session of the House of Commons now commencing. The general terms of the report were not a surprise to the Province, it was indicated, and financial recommendations in it have been closely studied for some time in Provincial circles. Premier Pattullo and Hon. John Hart will leave for Ottawa next week.

Plane on Mission—A Ginger Coote airplane was dispatched from Atlin yesterday to bring in Charles Rudolph, a sixteen-year-old youth reported shot through the legs in a hunting accident near Gladys Lake. Herman Egli reported the accidental shooting, which occurred when a party of men were in the woods looking for bear, headquarters of the Provincial Police were advised. Mistaken for a bear in poor light, Charles Rudolph received a rifle ball through the upper part of both legs at close range, the police said.

UNEASINESS IN ITALY MOUNTS

Many Allied and U.S. Nationals Are Preparing to Leave for Home

ROME, May 16 (AP).—Long lines in front of the British and French Consulates tonight indicated growing uneasiness among Allied nationals resident in Italy as to whether this country's "non-belligerency" will be maintained.

Americans in Italy also made hasty preparations to leave. United States diplomatic officials prepared to send their families home, but only as a precautionary measure, it was explained.

Applicants for visas were numerous at all foreign consulates.

The British Consulate in particular was the scene of great activity.

SILENT ON MESSAGE

Italian and American authorities maintained silence on the personal message from President Roosevelt to Premier Mussolini in an apparent new effort on the part of the United States to keep Italy out of the war.

With reports of growing fears in the Balkans, particularly in Greece and Yugoslavia, and wild rumors of possible action there, concrete signs still were lacking of any Italian intention to profit from the fierce warfare in the West.

Among many rumors, mostly discredited, was one that Il Duce and Adolf Hitler would meet again soon on the Brenner Pass, scene of the conference between the two axis partners last March 18.

DO DAMAGE IN DEMONSTRATION

Soldiers in Regina Act to Break Up Alleged Pro-Nazi Rally

REGINA, May 16 (CP).—Five Regina buildings were damaged and several men injured slightly by broken glass when 400 soldiers set out to break up an alleged pro-Nazi rally which a soldier said was planned for tonight.

Military, city and Royal Canadian Mounted Police were called out when the demonstrators broke glass windows and overturned furniture at the Ukrainian Labor Temple, the German-Canadian Hall, the Austrian Kitchen, a South Railway Street poolroom, and slightly damaged a dance hall.

The soldiers quickly moved from one spot to another during the forty-minute demonstration, and when military police and officers arrived those who had not returned to the barracks were dispersed. Police said they had no reports of anyone being seriously injured, and that no charges have been laid. No clash occurred during the demonstration.

Earlier about 100 soldiers paraded through downtown Regina and were joined by others as they neared the East End of the city.

Big plate glass windows in the cafe and poolroom were completely smashed. Windows in other establishments were small panes, but appeared to have been systematically broken.

Reginans said soldiers had heard that a pro-Nazi rally had been planned for tonight, but the only celebration in evidence at any of the five establishments was a bazaar at the Ukrainian Temple, usually frequented by labor and leftist elements and not usually known as pro-Nazi. There was reported to have been a small executive meeting at the German-Canadian Hall, owned by a cultural group and used by various organizations.

PRESS CENSORS ARE WELL PAID

Scale of Remuneration Revealed in Order in Council Tabled

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP). — Remuneration for press censors and officials of the office of the director of public information was revealed in an order in council tabled in Parliament today.

C. J. Hanratty, press censor for Canada, is entitled to $15 a day on a seven-day-week basis, according to an order in council signed January 22. Wilfred Eggleston, his deputy, receives $14 a day. Jacques Girouard, press censor, receives $12 a day, and Jules Leger, assistant press censor, $10 a day.

Herb Lash receives $10 a day, plus actual disbursements in the way of expenses while absent from his customary place of residence, as director of public information. Mr. Lash is on loan from the Canadian National Railways' publicity department, as is Claude Melancon, his assistant, who receives $10 a day and expense disbursements.

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I.O.D.E. Activities

Douglas Chapter

The Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter held a special meeting yesterday afternoon to discuss plans for the garden party to be held on June 12, at the home of the Misses Crease, "Pentrelew," Fort Street. There will be stalls, and a feature of the afternoon's programme will be dance numbers. The proceeds will be in aid of the chapter's war work.

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High-Speed British and U.S. Machines Put On Spectacular Show at Ottawa

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP).—A supermarine Spitfire, Britain's front line single-seater fighter, and a Curtis P-40 pursuit plane, one of the United States Army Air Corps' latest single-seater fighters, put on spectacular and thrilling demonstration flights at Uplands Airport today.

Senior personnel of the Royal Canadian Air Force and members of the United States Army Air Corps, here on a visit, watched the demonstration as the two planes raced across the sky at a terrific clip. A Canadian pilot, after flying the Spitfire, took over controls of the P-40, and a United States' flyer put the Spitfire through its paces.

Before they return tomorrow, the American experts will discuss aircraft design development with their Canadian colleagues.

Regina Man Head Of Fire Marshals

QUEBEC, May 16 (CP).—Arthur Fisher, of Regina, was elected president of the Canadian Fire Marshals' Association yesterday at a concluding session of two-day eighteenth annual convention here. Fisher, fire marshal for Saskatchewan, succeeds F. X. Ahern, of Quebec, who retains a position on the administration board.

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PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Sombre Shades Reflect Thought of Present Day

Opening of Dominion Parliament Shorn of Much Of Its Usual Brilliance—Fur Capes Worn by Many Women

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP).—Simple gowns, with suits and ensembles in sombre shades predominant, were chosen by women attending the opening ceremonies of Parliament in the Senate Chamber today.

Absent were the brightly-colored formal gowns and sparkling diamond tiaras which marked previous openings. Most women completed their costumes with diamond jewelry and fur capes.

Miss Annie Duff, sister of Chief Justice Sir Lyman Duff, the Administrator, occupied the Viceregal box. She wore a simply-styled crepe ensemble of soft grey, with silver fox furs and a hat of grey straw.

Sir Lyman, who was unaccompanied, occupied the one throne chair, whereas in the other years the wife of the Governor-General, with her lady-in-waiting, has been seated beside him.

ONLY WOMAN MEMBER

Making her first official appearance of the session, Mrs. D. W. Nielsen, Unity Member for North Battleford and only woman member of the Commons, chose a strictly tailored black dress.

Senator Carine Wilson, Ottawa, wore a three-piece printed silk suit in shades of deep red, blue and white, while Senator Iva Fallis chose a tailored navy blue crepe.

Mrs. George Parent, wife of the Senate Speaker, was attired in a navy blue ensemble of redingote style, trimmed with white, and a heaven blue Baku straw hat.

A black crepe ensemble, fox furs and a black straw hat were chosen by Lady Campbell, wife of the United Kingdom High Commissioner to Canada, while Lady Glasgow, wife of the Australian High Commissioner, was attired similarly.

Mrs. D. De Waal Meyer, wife of South Africa's accredited representative to Canada, wore a soft grey dress of chiffon and crepe with a matching straw hat and sable cape.

Wives of all the Cabinet Ministers also attended.

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Clubs-Societies

Britannia W.A.

The W.A. to Britannia Branch, No. 7, Canadian Legion, held its regular meeting on Tuesday, in the clubrooms, Mrs. H. Miller in the chair. Mrs. E. Jones announced a concert to be held in the clubrooms on Wednesday, June 5, at 8 p.m. in aid of the war work funds. Arrangements were made for a strawberry tea to be held at the home of Mrs. M. Kendrew, 220 Irving Road, on Wednesday, June 12, to be followed by a card social at 8 p.m. A garden party will be held at the home of Mrs. R. Spouse, 1411 Arm Street, in July, details of which will be announced later. Mrs. H. Miller read the report of the provincial command executive meeting held recently at Mission City, B.C., which she attended as delegate. The birthday party for this month will be held at the home of Mrs. G. Ree, 179 Bushby Street, on Wednesday, May 22, at 8 p.m. Mrs. A. Dickinson volunteered to keep fresh flowers on the memorial tablet. Mrs. H. Plewes and Mrs. P. Stevenson will attend the Legion funerals for this month. An appeal for magazines for the soldiers and sailors was made by Mrs. E. Jones. A card social will be held in the clubrooms on Tuesday, May 28, at which cribbage will be played and refreshments will be served.

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Solarium W.A.

At the meeting of the Solarium W.A., held yesterday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. D. J. Mugford, in the chair, arrangements were made for the members to sell soft drinks and ice cream at the sports meet at the Willows on May 24, when the proceeds will go to the Queen Alexandra Solarium funds. Mrs. Mugford and Mrs. Kelly will be in charge of arrangements. The Fall Fair work was discussed and Mrs. Kelly was made convener of the activities. Mrs. Neelands reported forty-six garments returned, including blouses, tunics, pyjamas and nightgowns. Twenty-four garments have been cut out since the last meeting. The members were pleased to receive an offer of help from the Women's Institute of Forestdale, B.C., and the secretary was instructed to reply, giving the necessary information. Mrs. Wise reported the return of twelve knitted garments.

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Langford Guild

An enjoyable silver tea, under the auspices of St. Matthew's Guild, Langford, was held on Wednesday afternoon at "St. Allan's House," the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Heggie. The rooms were decorated with bowls of beautiful Spring flowers. Mrs. D. Brock, Mrs. M. Stewart and Mrs. H. A. Hincks were the winners of contests managed by Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mrs. A. F. Bayles and Mrs. M. Kerr. Miss Savory sold plants at a well-patronized stall; Mrs. W. H. Goodman, Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mrs. C. Willard, Mrs. V. Taylor and Miss J. Seabrooke served tea, and Mrs. C. E. Myren read the teacups. The guild president, Mrs. H. A. Hincks, gave Mrs. Heggie a small gift as a mark of appreciation of her kindness in lending her home for the affair.

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Fairfield W.M.S.

Mrs. W. H. Gibson was the guest speaker at the monthly meeting of Fairfield W.M.S. yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Edith Hopkins, 1211 Oscar Street, taking as her subject "Christian Stewardship." Miss Bertha Hall presided during the devotional period. Miss Hopkins read "The Call to Worship," and Mrs. E. Siddall the Scripture lesson. Mrs. and Miss Clark sang a duet. Mrs. George Piercy, honorary president, was welcomed back after her illness. The hymn "Give Peace, O God, Give Peace Again" was sung, followed by the National Prayer for Peace. Refreshments were served by the hostess and her circle. Mrs. N. J. Crees expressed the thanks of the members to the hostess and the speaker.

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Women of the Moose

Victoria Chapter No. 25, Women of the Moose, will hold a card party at the home of Mrs. M. Carter, 1017 Pandora Avenue, on Monday evening, May 20, at 8 o'clock. It was decided at a recent meeting of the chapter. Plans were also made for a rummage sale tomorrow at 573 Johnson Street. This evening the members will be guests of the Loyal Order of Moose No. 1390 at a social gathering. The next meeting of the chapter will be held on May 27, when nomination of officers will take place.

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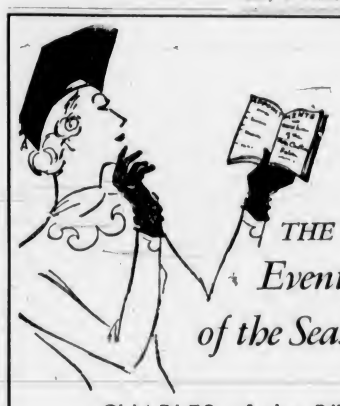
Tuckabatchee Club

A tea of nations will be held by the Tuckabatchee Club tomorrow afternoon, at the Y.W.C.A., from 3 to 5 o'clock. A musical programme will be given during the tea hour.



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RED CROSS

ESQUIMALT UNIT

A meeting of the Esquimalt Unit of the Canadian Red Cross Society will be held in the schoolroom of the United Church, Admirals Road, on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

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Local Couple To Celebrate Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Wills, of 983 Southgate Street, pioneer residents of this city, will celebrate their golden wedding on Sunday next. Owing to the recent illness of Mrs. Wills, they will spend the day quietly with their family at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Alderman and Mrs. Archie Wills, 1231 Fairfield Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Wills were married at Christ Church Cathedral, Vancouver, on May 19, 1890, by Rev. H. P. Hobson, and came to Victoria the following day. Mrs. Wills was one of four young women who traveled together from the Old Country to be married in this province. The others are Mrs. Thomas Palmer, of this city, widow of former Deputy Police Chief Palmer; Mrs. Thomas Mayes, New Westminster, and Mrs. E. J. McCall, Bremerton, Wash. On the trip across the Atlantic their ship, the Parisian, collided with an iceberg, but escaped miraculously.

MEET THEIR BRIDES

Mr. Wills and Mr. McCall went from Victoria to Vancouver to meet their brides, but when they boarded the steamer had no knowledge of each other's mission. Mr. and Mrs. Wills were married on May 19, and Mr. McCall and his bride the following day. The McCalls supported the Wills at their wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Wills came to Victoria on the old side-wheeler Yosemite and took up residence at the corner of Fernwood Road and Gladstone Avenue. They have resided in the city ever since, although since Mr. Wills' retirement they have traveled considerably.

FROM ENGLAND

Mr. Wills first came to Canada from his native Devonshire, which was also the birthplace of Mrs. Wills, in 1880. He spent five years in Toronto and then returned to England, where he met Mrs. Wills for the first time. Returning to Toronto two years later, he joined the many young men who were answering the call to "Go West." He reached Vancouver in 1887, just after the devastating fire. Victoria, being the hub of things in those days, attracted him. He engaged in the building business for many years and in 1898 participated in the Klondike rush.

He supervised the outfitting of the British steamer Ning Chow, which carried 500 miners, each with his equipment and supplies for one year, 400 horses and cattle, and 200 dogs. She was the largest ship to dock in Victoria's Inner Harbor. Mr. Wills remained in the North to outfit a stern-wheeler, which operated up the Stikine River.

ACTIVE IN CHURCH WORK

Mr. and Mrs. Wills have been actively associated with church work during their residence in this city. They were members of the old Pandora Avenue Methodist Church and have attended Metropolitan United Church since it was opened in 1892. Mrs. Wills has been active in the Ladies' Auxiliary of the church. Mr. Wills has been in the choir of the church continuously for forty-eight years. He has been in the tenor section of nearly every oratorio presented following his first arrival until "The Messiah" given last Christmas in Christ Church Cathedral.

Mr. and Mrs. Wills have four children. Their daughters are Mrs. E. C. Wilderspin, 92 Wellington Avenue, and Miss Ame Wills, at home, and two sons, Percy E. Wills, Vancouver Island missionary of the Shantymen's Christian Association, and Alderman Wills. There are five grandchildren, Kenneth, Eileen and Dorothy, Victoria, and Frank and Darda Jean, Vancouver.

P.-T.A. Activities

SIR JAMES DOUGLAS

Much praise is due the teachers and pupils of Sir James Douglas School for the most delightful programme of songs and dances given at the annual silver tea of the association held on Wednesday afternoon. A large number of parents and friends gathered for the occasion in the auditorium of the school, which had been beautifully decorated with Spring flowers by Mrs. Alex Martin. Mr. W. H. Wilson, principal of the school, opened the programme at 2 o'clock with a few words of welcome. The programme followed, at the close of which tea was served under the convenership of Mrs. H. J. Cunningham. The older girls of the school assisted in serving, and helping Mrs. Cunningham were Mesdames J. H. Russell, Sutherland, Aitkens, Banks, Hunter and Corry.

VICTORIA WEST

The monthly meeting of the Victoria West association was held recently when the following officers were elected: Mrs. G. Foster, president; Mr. H. S. Hurn, vice-president; Mr. C. Mackenzie, second vice-president; Mrs. J. Collins, secretary-treasurer; Mr. Grubb, Mrs. L. Young, Mrs. M. Mawer and Mrs. Waters, committee. Mr. Matheson sang two solos; also Miss Joyce Macdonald. A quiz contest was held and refreshments were served.

MOUNT DOUGLAS

The annual meeting of the Mount Douglas High School P.-T.A. was held in the school auditorium recently, and resulted in the election of the following officers: President, Frank Tipper; hon. president, E. M. Forster; vice-president, Mrs. M. W. Dawson; executive, Fred Melville, Mr. Jones, Miss Riddle, Mr. McGee, Mr. Rowebotham, and Mrs. Ursula Ley. Election of a secretary-treasurer was postponed until the Fall. The meeting passed a very warm vote of thanks to N. C. Bell, who was retiring after three years as president of the association. The guest speaker, Albert Sullivan, inspector of high schools, gave a very delightful talk on "Education in the Antipodes." Arrangements for the sports day were left in the hands of the old executive.

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Spinach — Local, Fresh, Tender 3 lbs. 10c
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Y.P.S. NEWS

ST. ANDREW'S

The St. Andrew's Presbyterian Society held a meeting on Monday, with Gordon Winter in the chair and Violet Wilson acting secretary in the absence of Nancy Cameron. After the business period, Allan Anderson conducted the devotional programme. Rev. J. L. W. McLean continued his talks on the book "The Making of a Christian," with his subject being "Words," showing how they could influence a person's life. Next Monday night will be the final meeting of the season and will be in the form of a banquet, commencing at 7 o'clock. An interesting programme for the evening has been arranged and the election of officers for the ensuing year will take place. All the young people are cordially invited to attend.

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COURT WHIST

To augment the Hamilton convention fund, the Y.W.C.A. senior girls held a court whist party last night, under the convenership of Miss Phyllis Biles. Prizes, presented by Miss Dorothy Beech, girls' work secretary, were won by Misses Jean Drysdale, Goode, Rose Slow, A. Andrews and Marion Dobbin. During refreshments, music was provided by Miss Marjorie McConnell.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Social and Personal

Attend Theatre

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. E. W. Hamber, accompanied by a party of friends, attended the performance of "Abe Lincoln in Illinois," at the Royal Victoria Theatre last night. Later they entertained at a supper party at Government House.

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Entertain at Shower

Mrs. T. Hurly and Mrs. P. J. Edmonds were hostesses on Wednesday evening at a china shower given at Mrs. Hurly's home, 767 Victoria Avenue, in honor of Miss Thelma Williams, a bride-to-be of next week. As she entered the living-room, which was prettily decorated with columbines and roses, Miss Williams was given a corsage bouquet of rosebuds and lilies of the valley, and then was presented with a box decorated in yellow and green and topped by a miniature bride, whose bouffant skirt covered the lid of the box containing the gifts. An evening of games was enjoyed. Mrs. L. Williams presided at the supper time and was assisted by Mrs. C. Ivings and Misses Baxter and Edmonds. The table, covered with a lace cloth, was centred with a cut glass bowl of pink roses, flanked by lighted pink tapers in silver holders. The guests were Mesdames W. G. Williams, L. Beckerley, H. Rounding, H. Jones, L. Williams, G. Bowditch, A. Eardley, W. Graves, G. Fairchild, E. Paver, C. Ivings and Misses M. Edmonds, H. Baxter, A. Marshall, M. Bell, B. Light, E. Harrison, H. Fairhurst, F. Murray, M. Smith, E. Beckerley and B. Williams.

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Hostess at Shower

Mrs. R. Spouse entertained recently at the home of her mother, Mrs. Trowsdale, 929 Agnes Street, in honor of Miss Helen Templeton, a bride-to-be of next month. The guest of honor was presented with a corsage bouquet of rosebuds, and her mother received a corsage bouquet of rosebuds and violas. The gifts were concealed in a wishing well surrounded with greenery and flowers. Several solos were sung by Miss Jean McGowan, accompanied at the piano by Miss Margaret Dickson. Refreshments were served from a table centred with pink carnations. The invited guests were Mesdames Trowsdale, Sr., Trowsdale, Jr., D. Templeton, A. Stewart, F. Slater, J. Dickson, W. Adamson (Texas), E. Crooks, Augustine, J. R. Marrs; Misses B. Crooks, J. McGowan, R. Rodger and M. Dickson.

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Received Pretty Gifts

Miss Sheila Swift, a bride-to-be of this week, was the guest of honor last evening at a miscellaneous shower given by Miss Betty Sheppard for a number of friends, at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. Sheppard, 30 King George Terrace. The pretty gifts were concealed in a hamper decorated with blue crepe paper and topped by a corsage bouquet of pink carnations. A buffet supper was served later in the evening, with Mrs. F. E. Jameson presiding. The table was attractive with a centrepiece of yellow marguerites and nepeta, and a miniature three-tiered bridal cake, surmounted b ya tiny bride and groom, stood at one end.

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Here for Day

Mrs. A. J. Ramsden, provincial chairman of the women's Red Cross work, accompanied Dr. F. W. Routley and Mrs. Wallace Campbell from Vancouver on Wednesday night, and returned to Vancouver last night after attending the luncheon and afternoon meetings, which they addressed here yesterday under the auspices of the local Red Cross society.

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At Maple Inn

Guests recently registered at The Maple Inn, Maple Bay, V.I., include Sir Ernest and Lady Petter, Comox; T. B. Brown, Trinidad, B.W.I.; Mrs. Smerthwaite, England; Mrs. A. G. Piddington, Major and Mrs. A. S. Parkes and Miss Phyllis Parkes, Victoria.

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Arrive From Ontario

Mrs. C. E. White, accompanied by her two daughters, Alison and Marguerite, arrived yesterday from Tweed, Ont., to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. MacKinnon, Uplands, and will leave later to spend the Summer at their cottage at Cranbrook, B.C.

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On Motor Trip

Mrs. Stanley Peddar, Oakland, and her son, Mr. Dick Peddar, who are enjoying a motor trip to the Pacific Northwest, made a brief stay in the city this week and visited Mrs. Ernest Temple, Beach Drive.

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St. Matthias' Girls' W.A.

St. Matthias' Girls' Branch of the W.A. will hold a tea and musical programme tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church hall.

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En Route East

Mr. Wallace Sterling has returned to his duties in Toronto after visiting in the city and in Nanaimo

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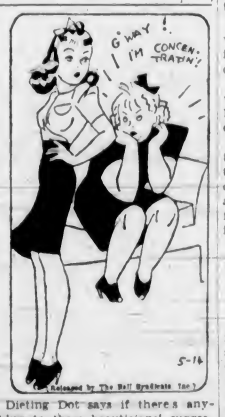
PRECOCIOUS

"Now, children," said the Sunday School teacher, "after this lesson on the Catechism, I want to see how much you have learnt. Tell me, Mary, what is the chief end of man?"

"His legs," Mary promptly replied.

Witty Kitty



Dieting Dot says if there's anything to these beauticians' suggestions that thinking slimness helps one reduce she should have been a featherweight long ago.

Catholic League Membership Tea Is Well Attended

The annual membership tea of the senior subdivision of the Catholic Women's League of Canada was held with success yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. C. Hitchcox, 613 Superior Street. The hostess and Mrs. William McManus, the president, received the large number of guests upon arrival, and Mrs. Blair Reid and Mrs. Percy Shaw were in charge of the membership fees. Rev. Father Penfold, who is on his way to China, was among the clergy present.

Blue and yellow iris graced the tea table over which Mrs. Frank Doherty and Mrs. J. D. Kissinger presided, with Mrs. J. J. O'Brien in charge of the refreshments, assisted by Mesdames Hugh Kelley, F. Kyle, Ruie, Cownden, E. Hornsby, Humphries and Battie. The league colors of blue and yellow predominated in the decorations of the rooms, which were carried out with early Summer blooms.

Recitations by Mrs. Rosenbloom and solos by Mrs. A. Ramsay and Mrs. Alex Grant, with Mrs. Ramsay playing her own and Mrs. Grant's accompaniments, added to the enjoyment of the afternoon.

Women Make Use Of Leisure Time

SEATTLE, May 16 (AP).—Women of leisure interested in part-time social service held a "town meeting" today on whether women of leisure are "vanishing Americans."

It was a feature of the twentieth annual convention of the Association of Junior Leagues of America.

Mrs. George V. Ferguson, president-elect, from Winnipeg, led for the affirmative against Mrs. Victor Shaw, Fairmont, W.Va.

"In the early days there were fairy princesses who grew up to be lady bountifuls," said Mrs. Ferguson in a prepared address. "Now both have vanished, and the Junior League has played its part in their disappearinz. Woman's suffrage, schools and Junior League activities have moved them along.

"I do believe that the great motivating force is not economic insecurity, but a genuine desire on the part of most young women to work."

Mrs. Shaw's rebuttal asserted "the woman of leisure is not vanishing. Her work merely has changed in emphasis.

"Women have just as much leisure today as they had a century ago, but they know how to make better use of it. Today women have leisure to serve their communities and their families, as they do not find the two incompatible."

Women's Institutes

COLWOOD

Mrs. S. Vallis presided at the business meeting of the Colwood Institute, held recently in Mrs. S. Goodall's pretty garden. Contests were enjoyed. Prizes for the contests were given to the following teams: First, Mrs. J. Jameson and Mrs. C. Carnegie, Jr., Mrs. W. M. Brown and Mrs. B. W. Parker; second, Mrs. H. Ridley and Mrs. Swindell; consolation, Mrs. J. Hopwood and Mrs. S. Plummer. Mrs. S. A. Parker and Mrs. Murray served tea.

COWICHAN

The Cowichan Institute held its monthly meeting on Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. F. Carberry, Clague Street, with Mrs. A. X. Rey, president, in the chair. There was a good attendance. The report from the Y.W.C.A. travelers' aid department was read and $2.50 voted to be sent to help carry on the work. Mrs. Colk, treasurer, reported the purchase of a window shade for the institute's room in the local hospital and also that flower vases for the room were given on Hospital Day. The members had contributed vases to the hospital this year instead of linen. Mrs. J. Seeley and Mrs. A. Stannard were appointed the sick visiting committee for the next month. Mrs. J. Hill was asked to find out which day would be most convenient for the members to visit Colonel Broome's dollhouse. Miss M. E. Wilson invited the institute to her home at "The Cliffs" for the next meeting, when a silver tea will be held to help the insitute's war fund. Mrs. G. Colk gave out the material for the members to make up into mending kits, as many as possible to be returned by Saturday to be filled. Tea was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. H. Eggleton.

War Work Effort Needs Broadening

TORONTO, May 16 (CP).—Jewish women tonight discussed their contribution to the Allied war effort, which is "even more important in the light of Germany's threat to our country, our institutions and our homes," at sessions here of the National Council of Jewish Women.

"We must now begin thinking about our war work on a broader basis," said Mrs. Herbert Allen, Toronto. "This activity should not be a by-product of an organization. War work must become the spearhead of every organization and in this crisis our pet projects must be put aside in the interest of more vital problems."

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Anglican Young People

ST. JOHN'S

St. John's Branch entertained members of St. Mark's and St. Martin's-in-the-Fields Branches at a social held in St. John's Hall on Tuesday night. Next Tuesday a business meeting will be held, at which the results of the British Empire Fair will be announced.

CATHEDRAL

On Wednesday evening, in the Memorial Hall, the weekly meeting of the Cathedral Branch was held, with the president, Chris Howland, in the chair. Vimie Kilsby, convener of the Penny Fair, asked all committee conveners and as many members as possible to come to the Memorial Hall this evening to assist in preparations for the Penny Fair. Ralph Freethy asked for volunteers to head committees in connection with Newspaper Night next week. Following the business meeting, Dean Elliott showed interesting lantern slides, accompanied by a lecture on his mission work in India.

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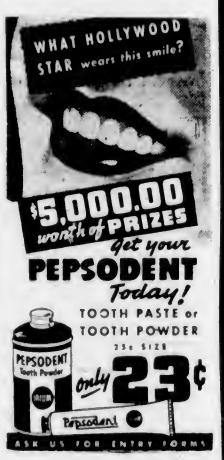
Ladies' Writing Pad, regular 25c, for	15c	Lysol Deodorant Soap, regular 10c each. Special	2 for 9c
Envelopes to match, regular 15c. Special for	9c	Velour Powder Puff, 15c value, for	9c



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CRUISE ENDS DURING WEEK

New Afterguard for Next Voyage of Thermopylae—Capt. Goring, Chief

For the next cruise of the Thermopylae, which will begin next September, there will be a new skipper at the helm and an entirely new afterguard to assist him in navigating the ship. Completing the last cruise during the week, with Captain Kinney in command, all shipmates present "signed off," the new crew to sign the new articles before the cruise gets under way on September 18.

The afterguard of the Thermopylae is now comprised of Captain Goring, promoted from first officer; first officer, Shipmate Sainty; second officer, Shipmate Robertson; third officer, Shipmate White, and bo'sun, Shipmate Nettleship.

The last lap of the 1939-40 cruise was signalized by the number of good yarns which were recalled by different shipmates. Shipmate Kemp recalled a story which had been related to him by an old fisherman years ago. It concerned the fisherman's adventures aboard a brig which was to be delivered at an Australian port. While "running the easting down," the brig had become embayed in the ice.

EMBEDDED IN BERG

Lying becalmed in the ice, the men of the brig saw a small vessel of some two hundred tons embedded in the ice on a ledge of one of the floating bergs. The crew of the brig blasted the ice away and got below to the small ship, where they found thirty frozen bodies, including one of a young girl sitting in a chair. Large quantities of jewels and Spanish gold were also found. This they took aboard the brig. Gradually getting clear of the ice, the brig proceeded on her passage, but unfortunately on nearing the Australian coast the brig took fire and had to be abandoned, and the treasure was all lost.

With others the old fisherman had been picked up and landed at an Australian port, but he lost his memory for some considerable time and on regaining it again could never make anybody believe him, as he had nothing to show for the adventure. He always contended that the story was true and that the vessel must have been an old Spanish treasure ship driven away to the south while homeward bound, dismasted and frozen in the ice decades before discovered by the brig.

HUMOROUS EXPERIENCE

Shipmate White related a humorous experience he had while serving aboard one of H.M. ships. At Scapa Flow the flagship dropped a gangway overboard and signaled to the ship White was aboard to send a diver and equipment to pick it up. It happened to be the diver's birthday and he was pretty mellow on his own and some of his shipmate's rum issue. Not being noticed by the officer in charge, the party proceeded to the scene and down went the diver. Not being able to get an answer to their signals after some time, the officer figured something must be wrong and gave instructions to blow him to the surface. Much to the officer's surprise, when the diver was taken into the boat he said he was okay and would go down again, which he did and set up the platform. But he admitted afterwards that he did not remember going over to the flagship or going down; but when on the bottom decided he wanted a sleep, which he proceeded to have at the bottom of Scapa Flow until rudely awakened by finding himself floundering around on the surface.

The evening's entertainment concluded with an interesting talk by Shipmate Elliott, who told the watch considerable about big gun construction, how the guns were put together piece by piece, the description ending with further information regarding range finding and fire control.

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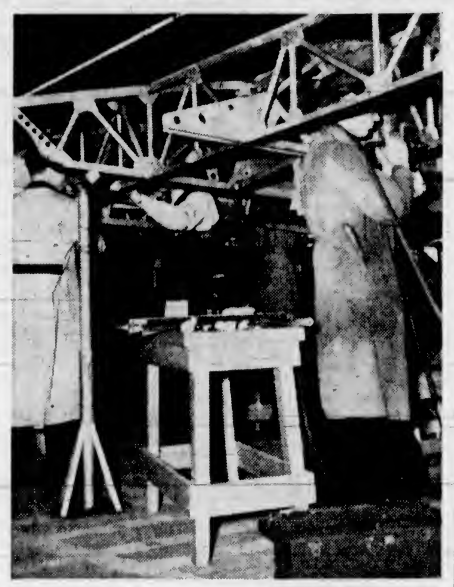

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HOLDS UP SALE OF FOUR SHIPS

Restraining Injunction Order Blocks Disposal of American Mail Liners

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16 (AP).—A temporary restraining order blocking any sale of the American Mail Line's four ships, the President McKinley, President Jackson, President Jefferson and President Grant, at least until May 27, was issued by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

Under a bankruptcy-reorganization plan approved by Federal Judge John C. Bowen in Seattle last February 29, the ships were conveyed to the United States Maritime Commission to satisfy a preferred mortgage of $600,000, with the understanding the commission would return to company creditors any money, in excess of the amount of the mortgage, it received from sale of the ships.

But ships are now at a premium, and many on this Coast have been sold into foreign service. The American Mail Line petitioned the Seattle court for permission to seek the ships' return from the Maritime Commission, stating the mortgage had already been satisfied.

Permission was sought to sell the ships outright, and pay other debts outstanding.

Prompt protest was made by the Admiral Oriental Line, which declares it holds 26 per cent of the American Mail Line stock, including most of the "B" stock. The Admiral Oriental Line, a Nevada corporation, petitioned the Federal Court in that state to set aside the Seattle court's order and restrain Judge Bowen from permitting return of the ships, but the Nevada court declined jurisdiction.

The Admiral Oriental Line then appealed to the Circuit Court here, seeking a writ of prohibition to prevent any sale of the ships without consultation of "B" stockholders. The case will be heard May 27.

Mrs. Snagge—My mistake was in not believing what you told me before our marriage.

Snagge—Indeed. What did I tell you before our marriage that you did not believe?

Mrs. Snagge—You told me that you were not worthy of me.

There was a strike of golf caddies recently. The trouble arose from a suggestion that they should pay amusement tax on their wages.

DROPS DIRECT NAVAL CONTROL

Churchill Pays Tribute to Officers and Men of Royal Navy

LONDON, May 16 (AP). — Prime Minister Churchill, relinquishing direct control of naval affairs, thanked all officers and men of the fleet today for their accomplishments in the first eight months of war.

Of the new First Lord of the Admiralty in the Coalition Government, A. V. Alexander, Mr. Churchill said:

"I leave you in good hands, both afloat and ashore.

"The several gallant battles which have been fought are a source of inspiration—but I understand the ceaseless toil of those many for whom the chance of battle has not come, but who daily face danger and strain in carrying out their duties," he added.

"The kindness and help of the navy has been a comfort to me. I was proud after many years to come again to the Admiralty in an hour of peril, and the sorrow which I feel on leaving is tempered by the feeling that I will not be far away."

SERVICE MAINTAINED DESPITE PICKET LINE

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16 (AP).—Picket lines were formed in front of Pacific Greyhound Lines office here today as bus drivers responded to a strike called by the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen in seven states, in a dispute involving union jurisdiction.

Buses continued rolling into the Greyhound depot here after the pickets had been posted, and company officials declared schedules would be maintained without interruption.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Clear, northwest, fresh 30.37, 58, choppy.
LENNARD ISLAND—Clear, northwest, strong 30.30, rough.
PACHENA—Clear, northwest, moderate 30.32, 58, light chop.
CARMANAH—Clear, calm, 30.30, smooth.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria for Vancouver daily at 1.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive Victoria from Vancouver daily at 3.10 p.m. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave Victoria for Vancouver daily at 12 midnight. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive Victoria from Vancouver daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 4.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive Victoria daily from Seattle at 1.15 p.m. Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9.15 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Seattle at 8.35 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 9.15 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8.35 a.m.

SALT SPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay daily for Fulford Harbor at 9.30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10.30 a.m. Tuesdays for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 6.30 p.m. Mondays.

WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Norah or Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for Port Alice and West Coast points of Vancouver Island on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

NANAIMO - GABRIOLA — Ms. Atrevida will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo, daily (except Wednesdays), at 8.30 a.m. for Gabriola.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily, except Saturday and Sunday, for Vancouver at 7.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. Saturday only, 7.30 a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 8.15 p.m. Sunday only, 5.45 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo daily, except Saturday and Sunday, at 1.20 p.m. and 8.30 p.m. Saturday only, 1.20 and 8.30 p.m.; Sunday only, 1.20 p.m. and 11.15 p.m.

SIDNEY-ANACORTES—Black Ball Ferry steamer will leave Sidney for Anacortes daily at 7 p.m. Black Ball Ferry steamer will arrive Sidney daily from Anacortes at 1.20.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—The Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m., 5 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay at 9.30 a.m.

LAUNCH TWO DESTROYERS

Vessels of Latest Design Named After Dead U.S. Naval Heroes

BREMERTON, May 16 (AP).—Two destroyers of the latest design for United States Navy were launched today at the Puget Sound Navy Yard.

The vessels were the 1,620-ton sister ships Charles F. Hughes and Monssen, named after dead naval heroes and christened by their widows.

The Hughes was christened by Mrs. Charles F. Hughes, widow of the late admiral, and the Monssen was christened by Mrs. Mons Monssen, New York city, widow of the lieutenant who successfully battled a fire after an explosion aboard a battleship in 1904.

The ships are 348 feet long and have a thirty-five-foot beam.

HOLIDAY FARES ON EMPIRE DAY

Special Sailings and Excursions To and From Island Points

VANCOUVER, May 17.—The season's first big public holiday, May 24, ushers in special sailings and excursions for Canadian Pacific's British Columbia Steamship Service. For the Victoria Day week-end, special low fares will be in effect on the "inter-city" runs, as well as to and from Gulf Islands and the northerly ports of Powell River, Union Bay and Comox.

Week-end fares will be good for the going trip from Thursday, May 23, until Sunday, May 26; and for the return trip not later than 12 midnight, Monday, May 27, with the exception of Gulf Island ports, where the return limit will be Tuesday, May 28.

Special services on account of the May 24 holiday will include a single day excursion from Vancouver to Victoria and return by the Princess Marguerite, leaving Vancouver at 8:30 a.m., arriving at Victoria 12:45 p.m.; leaving Victoria at 6 p.m. and returning to Vancouver at 10:15 p.m.

SEATTLE EXCURSION

The Princess Elizabeth will be assigned to a special Victoria-Seattle excursion, leaving Victoria at 9 a.m., arriving Seattle 2 p.m.; leaving Seattle 5 p.m., arriving Victoria 10 p.m.

Nanaimo's Victoria Day celebration is expected to attract many Mainland visitors, and there will be four sailings in each direction between Vancouver and Nanaimo, May 24, leaving Vancouver at 8.45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m., 11:45 p.m.; and leaving Nanaimo at 7.30 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. To further facilitate week-end travel to Vancouver Island via Nanaimo, the regular 6 p.m. sailing of the Princess Elaine for Nanaimo will be delayed until 6:15 p.m., Thursday, May 23. A special low fare single day excursion is also being offered from Vancouver to Nanaimo, and from Nanaimo to Vancouver, May 24.

Victoria Day also sees the unofficial opening of Newcastle Island, the Canadian Pacific's popular picnic and pleasure resort in Nanaimo Harbor.

NO DISCOMFORT IN AIR TRAVEL

Effects of High Altitude Are Taken Care of by Artificial Oxygen

"Trans-Canada Air Lines is now going through the same experience as we had in educating the physicians and lay traveling public regarding the effects of altitude on one's physical well-being," states A. D. Tuttle, medical director of United Air Lines and formerly commandant of the United States Army School of Medicine at Randolph Field, Tex. "We have gone far towards debunking the prevailing impression that heart and blood pressure cases should not fly.

"At the altitude ordinarily flown on any commercial airline, the only possible thing that might occur aloft, which is not present on the ground to cause discomfort to a heart case that is not a bed case, is a shorter ration of oxygen. But this is no problem on any line having an oxygen system such as, for instance, Trans-Canada Air Lines. At the altitudes at which we fly, barometric pressure has absolutely no effect directly on the cardio-vascular system. It is the lowered partial pressure of oxygen that enters into the picture, and if we add artificial oxygen by use of a suitable inhaler to the air being breathed by the passenger, he is thus able to take in through his lungs while aloft just as much life-sustaining oxygen as he can take in by breathing ordinary air at sea level.

DO NOT APPLY

"Looking over graphs, charts and scientific reports the companies put out generally leaves the reader 'up in the air' in more ways than one. However, most of the experimental data published these days on the effects of flying of startling scarehead type have no application whatever to civil air transportation as conducted by the various commercial air lines. They refer to and exist only in military aviation, because of necessity military aviation cannot pursue a conservative policy.

"In my experience I have found that a simple statement to the effect that the changes in pulse rate, blood pressure, respiratory rate and heart load aloft, due to the reduced partial pressure of oxygen—or if it will make the point any clearer, the reduced barometric pressure—are negligible and fully compensated for by other favorable factors, including artificial oxygen if needed, met with in air transportation, accomplished more good than a lot of indigestible scientific data."

McKenzie Red Lake Gold Mines, Limited, 3 cents, payable June 15 to shareholders of record June 1.

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EMPRESS PURE STRAWBERRY JAM, 4-lb. tin	49c
MURRAY'S APPLE AND STRAWBERRY JAM, 4-lb. tin	35c
COLUMBIA APRICOT JAM, 4-lb. tin	39c
AUSTRALIAN PASTRY FLOUR, 5-lb. cotton sack	20c
AUSTRALIAN PASTRY FLOUR, 10-lb. cotton sack	37c
ORMOND'S GRAHAM WAFERS, 16-oz. pkt.	15c
CANADA CORN STARCH, per pkt.	9c
COW BRAND BAKING SODA, 1-lb. pkt.	10c
AYLMER CHICKEN, 7-oz. tin	25c
AYLMER ORANGE MARMALADE, 4-lb. tin	37c
MALKIN'S BEST PURE PLUM JAM, 4-lb. tin	35c
NABOB SPECIAL MARMALADE, Lemon, Orange and Grapefruit, 4-lb. tin	39c
ORMOND'S SODA BISCUITS, large pkt.	15c
BREAD FLOUR—MAPLE LEAF, FIVE ROSES OR OGILVIE, 49-lb. sack	$1.49
BREAD FLOUR—MAPLE LEAF, FIVE ROSES OR OGILVIE, 24-lb. sack	79c
HEREFORD OR EL RANCHO CORNED BEEF, per tin	15c
LIBBY'S COOKED SPAGHETTI, 16-oz. tins	3 for 25c
NABOB JELLY POWDER, all flavors	2 pkts. 9c
JELL-O, all flavors	3 pkts. 17c
FRESH CALIFORNIA SOFT-SHELLED WALNUTS, PECANS OR ALMONDS, IN THE SHELL, PER LB.	12c
DIAMOND BRAND CALIFORNIA WALNUTS, 4-LB. SACK	49c
MINUTE TAPIOCA, per pkt.	10c
GLEN VALLEY PEACHES, per tin	11c
ROYAL CITY RED PLUMS	3 tins 25c
MAPLE LEAF PEARS	3 tins 27c
LYNN VALLEY PEACHES	2 tins 25c
TROPIC GOLD GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 13½-oz. tin	7c
FRANCIS DRAKE'S GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 50-oz. tin	19c
KRAFT SALAD WEEK. We have Miracle Whip in 16-oz. and 32-oz. jars, Kitchen-Fresh Mayonnaise in 8-oz. and 16-oz. jars, and French Dressing. KRAFT QUICK DINNER, per pkt.	17c
CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP	3 tins 25c
AYLMER PEAS AND CARROTS, per tin	10c
SPENCER'S TEA AND COFFEE. QUALITY TEA, per lb.	48c
FRESH-ROASTED COFFEE, per lb.	35c
RICH FAMILY TEA, per lb.	63c
BREAKFAST BLEND TEA, per lb.	50c
DIAMOND "S" COFFEE, per tin	47c
JIFFY BOILED DINNERS	3 tins 25c
SPENCER'S PORK AND BEANS, 18-oz. tins	3 for 25c
McCOLL'S PEANUT BUTTER, large jar	25c
METCALFE CAN-RITE TOMATOES	2 large tins 21c
B.C. GRANULATED SUGAR, 100-lb. sack	$6.40
B.C. GRANULATED SUGAR, 50-lb. sack	$3.30
B.C. GRANULATED SUGAR, 20-lb. sack	$1.35
ROBIN HOOD OR OGILVIE QUICK OATS, large carton	15c
ROBIN HOOD QUICK OATS, 6-lb. cotton sack	28c
QUAKER CORN FLAKES	4 pkts. 25c
GRAPE-NUTS FLAKES	2 pkts. 17c
SHREDDED WHEAT BISCUITS, per pkt.	10c
TOASTED PRAIRIE NUTS, 16-oz. pkt. (with 1 Tumbler free)	26c
KIRK'S CASTILE SOAP, per bar	5c
IVORY SOAP, medium size	2 bars 15c
GUEST IVORY SOAP	2 cakes 9c
IVORY FLAKES, large pkt.	22c
EDDY'S CAMEO OR COMET MATCHES, packet of 12 boxes	9c
EDDY'S SESQUI MATCHES, packet of 12 boxes	20c
RECKITT'S BLUE	2 pkts. 9c
SWIFT'S CLASSIC LAUNDRY SOAP	3 bars 10c
LUX OR CAMAY TOILET SOAP, per cake	5c
LIFEBUOY SOAP	3 bars 20c
WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE, per bottle	25c and 49c
BLUE MOUNTAIN PINEAPPLE, Slices, Cubes or Crushed, per tin	11c
The New Jewel Salad Dressing, Mayonnaise and Sandwich Spread, to Be Demonstrated This Week-End	
MOTHER'S ALL-OCCASION COCOA, 2-lb. tin	25c
BISCUIT SPECIALS. CHOCOLATE MACAROON DAINTIES, per lb.	28c
LEMON GEMS, per lb.	18c
FIVE SISTERS, assorted, per lb.	21c
CHRISTIE'S MIDGET SNAPS, per lb.	16c
GINGER SNAPS	2 lbs. 25c
SMITH'S "FAMOUS" SHORTBREAD FINGERS, per pkt.	25c
COLUMBIA CUT GREEN BEANS	3 tins 28c
LYNN VALLEY PEAS	3 tins 27c
AYLMER TOMATOES, 16-oz. tins	3 for 25c
HEINZ SPECIALS. TOMATO KETCHUP, 14-oz. bottles	16c
VINEGAR, Malt, White or Cider 16½-oz. bottle	15c
VINEGAR, Malt, White or Cider 33-oz. bottle	25c
CREAM OF TOMATO SOUP, 10-oz. tins	3 for 25c
SOUPS, all kinds except turtle and consomme, 16-oz. tins	13c
AYLMER GOLDEN BANTAM CORN	3 tins 25c
SWANS DOWN CAKE FLOUR, per pkt.	25c
DR. JACKSON'S ROMAN MEAL, BEKU'S OR LISHUS, per pkt.	21c
JAMESON'S TEA, 1-lb. pkt.	56c
JAMESON'S COFFEE, 1-lb. pkt.	48c
Pure Essences—All Kinds	
HORSESHOE SALMON, ½'s, per tin	19c
TIGER SALMON, ½'s	2 tins 27c
FELS-NAPTHA SOAP, per bar	6c
SUNLIGHT SOAP	4 bars 19c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER	3 tins 25c
CLASSIC CLEANSER	2 tins 9c
LIBBY'S SPECIALS. DEEP BROWNED BEANS, per tin	12c
TOMATO CATSUP, per bottle	12c
VEGETABLE OR TOMATO SOUP	2 tins 15c
HAPPY-VALE PICKLES, all kinds, 32-oz. jar	25c
TOMATO JUICE, 10½-oz. tin	5c
TOMATO JUICE, 25½-oz. tin	10c
LEVER BROS.' VINOLIA CASTILE SOAP	10 cakes 25c
RED, WHITE AND BLUE TOILET TISSUE, per roll	3c
PUREX TOILET TISSUE	3 rolls 20c
OLD CITY PURE MAPLE SYRUP, pint bottle	25c
K-9 DOG FOOD	3 tins 25c

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WHILE QUANTITIES LAST

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CREW DISPUTES DELAY VESSELS

Bonus Denied Kentucky Sailors—Alaskan Cannery Operations Doubtful

PORTLAND, Ore., May 16 (AP). — Operations of the Alaskan cannery steamer William L. Thompson and the United States Line steamer Kentucky were delayed yesterday by crew disputes.

Eight sailors walked off the Kentucky after their demands for a bonus of $100 each for taking the ship into Japanese waters were denied. The ship's owners asked the union for replacements, explaining their contract called for a bonus of 25 per cent of usual wages.

The Marine Cooks and Stewards' Union and the Columbia River Packers' Association were unable to reach an agreement on a wage and working contract for the William L. Thompson. An association spokesman said the company's Alaskan operations might be canceled.

Eddie Lane, union agent, charged the contract offered by the association would reduce basic wages 10 to 21 per cent.

INCREASE FOR OVERTIME WORK

Elevator Employees at Lakehead Will Get Raise in Hourly Pay

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., May 16 (CP).—J. J. Ratcliffe, Winnipeg representative of the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Station and Express Employees' Union, today announced that elevator employees at the Lakehead will receive an increase of 5 cents an hour above the old wage scale for all overtime work.

It is estimated that almost 700 men will be affected by the new agreement. The wage for overtime before the increase was granted was 15 cents an hour over and above their daily scale of pay, which varies according to departments.

Summer Schedule Of C.N. Steamers Starting June 17

Charles F. Earle, district agent of Canadian National Railways, yesterday announced the Summer schedule of Canadian National Steamships, which will go into effect June 17 and continue until August 28.

The steamers Prince George and Prince Rupert will operate on the Alaska run, with sailings from Vancouver Mondays and Fridays at 9 p.m., the Monday sailing being for Skagway and the Friday sailing for Stewart.

The Skagway sailing will also include Ketchikan, Taku Glacier and Juneau.

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Get Dr. Williams Pink Pills today. They are world-famous for the help they give in increasing the number and strength of red corpuscles. Then with your blood count up, you'll feel like bounding up the stairs as if you were floating on air. Ask your druggist for Dr. Williams Pink Pills today.

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Drop into our office now . . . make your decision early and free your mind for the other details surrounding the great day.

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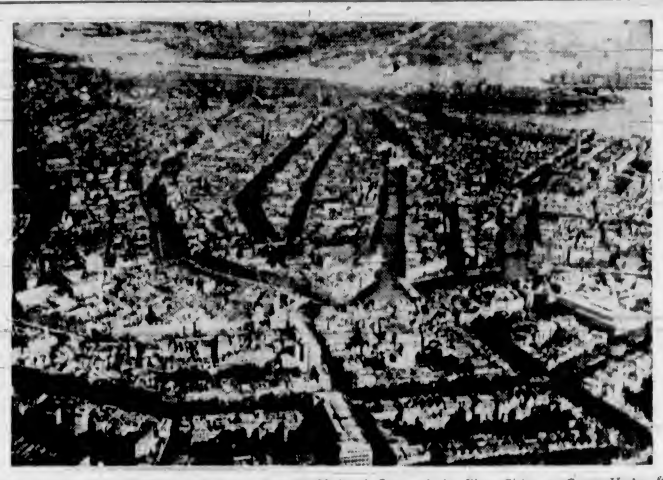
Amsterdam Bombed by German Planes



When the German Air Force and Army Invaded Holland One of the First Cities to Come Under the Threat of Aerial Bombardment Was Amsterdam. This Air View of the Important Dutch City Gives a Graphic Idea of the Havoc Which a Severe Bombardment Could Cause.

AROUND the DIAL

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 p.m.—Marie Vowles, young Victoria girl who recently won honors at the Vancouver Musical Festival, will be guest artist on Big Brother Al's "Joybus" programme, CFCT.

7:30 p.m.—Captain Barney's Show Boat will be heard with Martin Hunt, Bob Trendler's orchestra, Bob Strong and his band and Virginia Verrill and Dick Todd, vocalists, KOMO, KFI, KPO.

NEWS BROADCASTS TODAY

Morning—8:00, CBR, CJOR; 8:15, CFCT; 8:30, KOL; 9:30, KJR; 10:45, CJOR; 12 noon, KJR, KOL.

Afternoon—12:30, CJOR, CFCT; 1:00, CBR; 1:45, CBR; 3:00, KIRO; 4:15, CJOR; 4:30, KOL; 4:45, KIRO; 5:45, KJR.

Evening—6:15, KJR, KOL; 6:30, CFCT; 7:00, CBR, CJOR; 8:00, CJOR; 9:00, KIRO; 9:45, KIRO; 10:00, KOMO; 10:15, CBR, KIRO; 10:30, CJOR.

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change).

Key Station Wave Lengths

C.B.C. NETWORK—CBR (1100).
N.B.C. RED NETWORK—KOMO (920), KPO (680), KFI (640).
N.B.C. BLUE NETWORK—KJR (970), KGO (790).
COLUMBIA NETWORK—KIRO (710), KNX (1050), KVI (560).
MUTUAL-DON LEE NETWORK—KOL (1270).
VICTORIA—CFCT (1450).
VANCOUVER—CJOR (600).

8:00 A.M.—News (CBR, CJOR).
Financial Services (KOMO).
Morning Reveries (KJR).
Kate Smith Speaks (KIRO).
Morning Melodies (KOL).

8:15 A.M.—The Balladeer (CBR).
The Denning Sisters (KOMO).
The Vass Family (KJR).
When a Girl Marries (KIRO).
Morning Melodies (KOL).
Smilin' Blue Ward (CJOR).

8:30 A.M.—Helen Wyant, organist (CBR).
Ship of Joy, Capt. Dobbsie (KOMO).
National Farm and Home Hour (KJR).
Romance of Helen Trent (KIRO).
News (KOL).
Radio Revellers (CJOR).

8:45 A.M.—Toronto Trio (CBR).
Our Gal Sunday (KIRO).
Carters of Elm Street (KOL).

9:00 A.M.—Happy Gang (CBR).
Heart of Julia Blake (KOMO).
The Goldbergs (KIRO).
Smoke Dreams (KOL).
Shut-In Programme (CJOR).

9:15 A.M.—Dance Orchestra (KOMO).
Ann Sterling Wonders (KJR).
Life Can Be Beautiful (KIRO).
Ma Daughters (KOL).
Melody Time (CJOR).

9:30 A.M.—Rhymes and Ramblings (CBR).
Federation Women's Clubs (KOMO).
News (KJR).
The Right to Happiness (KIRO).
Mary's Friendly Garden (KOL).
Morning Melodeers (CJOR).

9:45 A.M.—Dr Kate (KOMO).
Patty Jean Health Club (KJR).
Helpful Harry, The Little Show (KIRO).
Kitty Keene (CJOR).

10:00 A.M.—Light of the World (KOMO).
Big Sister (KIRO).
Cavalcade of Drama (KOL).
The Gospel Singer (CJOR).

10:15 A.M.—Arnold Grimm's Daughter (KOMO).
Aunt Jenny's Real Life Stories (KIRO).
Ma Perkins (KOL).
Tropical Moods (CJOR).

10:30 A.M.—Valiant Lady (KOMO).
Perde Grofe (KJR).
Fletcher Wiley (KIRO).
Don Isham, organist (KOL).
Stars of the Week (CJOR).

10:45 A.M.—Betty Crocker (KOMO).
Talk on Art Museum (KJR).
My Son and I (KIRO).
Batchelor's Children (KOL).
News (CJOR).

11:00 A.M.—Big Sister (CBR, CJOR).
Mary Marlin (KOMO).
Orphans of Divorce (KJR).
Society Girl (KIRO).
Our Friendly Neighbors (KOL).

11:15 A.M.—Life and Love of Dr. Susan (CBR, CJOR).
Ma Perkins (KOMO).
Amanda of Honeymoon Hill (KJR).
It Happened in Hollywood (KIRO).
Concert in Contrast (KOL).

11:30 A.M.—Composer's Corner (CBR).
Pepper Young's Family (KOMO).
John's Other Wife (KJR).
Life Begins (KIRO).
Singin' Sam (CJOR).

11:45 A.M.—Vic and Sade (KOMO).
Just Plain Bill (KJR).
Dealer In Dreams (KIRO).
Musical Round Up (KOL).
Peter McGregor (CJOR).

12:00 Noon—Club Matinee (CBR).
Quest for Happiness (KOMO).
News (KJR, KOL).
Pretty Kitty Kelly (KIRO).
Master Singers (CJOR).

12:15 P.M.—Stella Dallas (KOMO).
Organ Concert (KJR).
Myrt and Marge (KIRO).
Christian Business Men (KOL).
Ballad Music (CJOR).

12:30 P.M.—Norwegian Independence Day (CBR).
Blue Plate Special (KOMO).
Cecil Boily (KJR).
Hilltop House (KIRO).
News (CJOR).

12:45 P.M.—The Song Shop (CBR).
That Girl from Fisher's (KOMO).
Club Luncheon (KJR).
Stepmother (KIRO).
Melody Supplement (KOL).
Dance Hour (CJOR).

1:00 P.M.—News (CBR).
Girl Alone (KOMO).
By Kathleen Norris (KIRO).
Optimists Club Lunch (KOL).
The Man I Married (CJOR).

1:15 P.M.—Georgian Mansions (CBR).
Homekeeper's Calendar (KOMO).
My Children (KIRO).
Aloha Land (CJOR).

1:30 P.M.—Closing Stocks (CBR).
Midstream (KOMO).
Patty Jean Health Club (KJR).
Singin' Sam (KIRO).
McFarland Twins Orchestra (KOL).
Blue Notebook (CJOR).

1:45 P.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR).
The O'Neills (KOMO).
Cowboy Joe (KJR).
Scatterand Brains (KIRO).
Let's Play Bridge (KOL).

2:00 P.M.—True Life Dramas (KOMO).
E. Wild, Alma Kitchell (KJR).
Young Dr. Malone (KIRO).
Monitor Views the News (KOL).
Studio Party (CJOR).

2:15 P.M.—Johnny McGee's Orchestra (CBR).
Mine to Cherish (KOMO).
Dance Orchestra, Goodwill (KJR).
Hedda Hopper's Hollywood (KIRO).
House of McGregor (KOL).

2:30 P.M.—Three Cheers (CBR).
Against the Storm (KOMO).
Leon and Marlowe (KJR).
Joyce Jordan, Girl Interne (KIRO).
Government Reports (KOL).

2:45 P.M.—Organ Recital (CBR).
Guiding Light (KOMO).
Frank and Archie (KJR).
The World Today (KIRO).
Streamline Swing (KOL).

3:00 P.M.—London Calling (CBR).
Organ Moods (KOMO).
Zollman at the Organ (KJR).
Newsreel, Johnny Forrest (KIRO).
Fulton Lewis, Jr. (KOL).
Life Can Be Beautiful (CJOR).

3:15 P.M.—Novelty Programme (CBR).
European Situation (KOMO).
This Woman's World (KIRO).
Rhythm Time (KOL).
Ma Perkins (CJOR).

3:30 P.M.—Recital Series (CBR).
Portia Blake Faces Life (KOMO).
Yesterday's Children (KJR).
Clark Ross and Erwin Yeo (KIRO).
Haven of Rest (KOL).
Pepper Young's Family (CJOR).

3:45 P.M.—Are We Getting Better Movies? (CBR).
Kate Hopkins (KOMO).
Better Boys Council (KIRO).
Right to Happiness (CJOR).

4:00 P.M.—"Sound," a feature broadcast (CBR).
Yesterday's Children (KOMO).
Filbert Philharmonic (KJR).
Job Finder (KIRO).
Fifth Row Centre (KOL).
Road of Life (CJOR).

4:15 P.M.—Music by Woodbury (KOMO).
Affairs of Anthony (KJR).
Lost and Found (KIRO).
News (CJOR).

4:30 P.M.—A Year Ago Today (CBR).
American Red Cross Association (KOMO).
Irene Wicker (KJR).
Howard Costigan (KIRO).
News (KOL).
Anything Goes (CJOR).

4:45 P.M.—Dance Orchestra (KOMO).
Bob Garred Reporting (KIRO).
Afternoon Serenade (KOL).
Famous Voices (CJOR).

5:00 P.M.—Dancing Discs (CBR).
Waltz Time (KOMO).
Between Afternoon and Evening (KJR).
Al Pearce and Gang (KIRO).
Frank Iacolucci (KOL).
The Ranger's Cabin (CJOR).

5:15 P.M.—Ted Fio Rito's Orchestra (KOL).

5:30 P.M.—Along the Boulevard (CBR).
What's My Name (KOMO).
Aloha Land (KJR).
First Nighter (KIRO).
Shafter Parker (KOL).
Concert Hall (CJOR).

5:45 P.M.—News (KJR).
Orphan Annie (KOL).

6:00 P.M.—Chamber Music (CBR).
Don Ameche Show (KOMO).
Aloha Land (KJR).
Grand Central Station (KIRO).
Raymond Gram Swing (KOL).
Raymond Massey (CJOR).

6:15 P.M.—News (KJR).
News (KOL).
Nicholson's Sports (CJOR).

6:30 P.M.—The Canadian Nation Today (CBR).
Interview, Ed. Garret (KOMO).
Dance Orchestra (KJR).
Believe It or Not Ripley (KIRO).
John B. Hughes (KOL).
Allen Roth (CJOR).

6:45 P.M.—Dorr Turner's Orchestra (CBR).
Fish Finder (KOMO).
Norman Brokenshire (KOL).
Easy Aces (CJOR).

7:00 P.M.—News (CBR, CJOR).
Fred Waring (KOMO).
Gen and Glen (KJR).
Amos and Andy (KIRO).
Pasing the Past (KOL).

7:15 P.M.—Two-Piano Team (CBR).
Library of Good Music (KOMO).
Let's Go Places in Washington (KJR).
Lanny Ross (KIRO).
Listener's Club (KOL).
Light Up and Listen (CJOR).

7:30 P.M.—Woodhouse and Hawkins (CBR).
Show Boat (KOMO).
This Amazing America (KJR).
Johnnie Presents (KIRO).
Lone Ranger (KOL).
High School Huddle (CJOR).

7:45 P.M.—Carson Robinson (CJOR).

8:00 P.M.—Drama (CBR).
Armchair Cruises (KOMO).
Mail Bag, Interlude (KJR).
Baseball Game (KJR, 8:10).
Kate Smith (KIRO).
Put and Take (KOL).
News (CJOR).

8:15 P.M.—Dance Orchestra (KOMO).
Health League (CJOR).

8:30 P.M.—Death Valley Days (KOMO).
(KOL).
Lost Empire (KOL).
Lacrosse (CJOR).

8:45 P.M.—String Quartette (CBR).
Leon Mollen's Orchestra (KOL).

9:00 P.M.—Musical Mirror (CBR).
Barber of Seville, Lyric Theatre (KOMO).
Paul Sullivan Reviews the News (KIRO).
Newspaper of the Air (KOL).

9:15 P.M.—University Explorer (KOMO).
Romance Time (KIRO).
Ray Pearl's Orchestra (KOL).

9:30 P.M.—Notes of Travel (CBR).
Music by Woodbury (KOMO).
Fulton Lewis, Jr. (KOL).

9:45 P.M.—Joint Recital (CBR).
Bob Garred Reporting (KIRO).
Hollywood American Legion Fights (KOL).

10:00 P.M.—News Flashes (KOMO).
Lud Gluskin's Orchestra (KIRO).

10:15 P.M.—News (CBR).
Dance Orchestra (KOMO).
News Roundup (KIRO).

10:30 P.M.—Matty Malneck's Orchestra (CBR).
Shep Field's Orchestra (KOMO).
Harmony Time (KJR).
News (CJOR).

10:45 P.M.—Northwest Bible Institute (KJR).
Wilson Ames at the Console (KIRO).
Sweet Music (KOL).
Melody in the Night (CJOR).

11:00 P.M.—Gary Nottingham's Orch. (CBR).
Nick Harper's Orchestra (KOMO).
Ray Noble's Orchestra (KIRO).
Chuck Foster's Orchestra (KOL).
Al Donahue's Orchestra (CJOR).

11:15 P.M.—Bill Sabransky, organist (KJR).

11:30 P.M.—Reverie (CBR).
Archie Loveland's Orchestra (KOMO).
Manny Strand's Orchestra (KIRO).
Buddy Malville's Orchestra (KOL).
Jimmy Dorsey's Orchestra (CJOR).

11:45 P.M.—Midnight Matinee (KOL).

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7:00 a.m.—Yawn Patrol.
8:15 a.m.—Breakfast News.
8:30 a.m.—Musical Chronometer.
9:00 a.m.—Outlook and Uplook.
9:30 a.m.—Financial Flashes.
9:45 a.m.—Nation's Prayer Period.
10:00 a.m.—Morning Monitor.
10:10 a.m.—Melody Lane.
10:30 a.m.—Featurettes.
11:00 a.m.—Songs From Shows.
11:30 a.m.—Musicprize.
12:00 noon—Concert Time.
12:30 p.m.—Midday News.
12:55 p.m.—World Bookman.
1:00 p.m.—Noonday Frolics.
2:00 p.m.—Concert Hour.
3:00 p.m.—Musical Oddities.
3:30 p.m.—Rhythm Rulers.
4:00 p.m.—Friendly Hour.
4:45 p.m.—Teatime Tunes.
5:00 p.m.—Monitor Comment.
5:10 p.m.—Old Time Frolic.
5:45 p.m.—Radio Birthday Party.
6:30 p.m.—News Summary.
6:45 p.m.—Classic Album.
7:00 p.m.—Joy Ride.
7:30 p.m.—By Candlelight.
8:00 p.m.—Make-Believe Ballroom.
8:30 p.m.—Box Lacrosse.

They say the newest secret weapon is tanks — with women drivers.

TAXATION CUTS INTO PROFITS

Annual Report of Hudson's Bay Company Shows Net Return of $359,000

The 271st annual report of the governor and committee of the Hudson's Bay Company, issued to the proprietors of the company, announces a trading profit, before taxes, of $2,291,000, as compared with $1,895,000 in 1939. An increase in taxation provision in the year ended January 31, however, of $592,000 reduces the net profit below the previous year. The net profit figure for 1940 is shown as $359,000, compared with $550,000 for 1939. The total provided for taxes in the accounts is $1,142,000, compared with $555,000 for the previous year.

At the time of presenting last year's report the standard rate of income tax in the United Kingdom was 27 1-2 per cent, and the taxation provision to January 31, 1939, was made on that basis. The rate subsequently was raised to 35 per cent for the year 1939-40 and 37 1-2 per cent for 1940-41. These changes account for the increase in the provision for taxation in this year's profit and loss account from $555,000 to $1,142,00. So far as is known at present, the provision now made is sufficient to cover all taxation based on the profits for the year to January 31, 1940.

LAND ACCOUNT SURPLUS

The profits for both years are arrived at after charging $750,000 for depreciation. The surplus on land account amounts to $192,000, as compared with $97,500 for the previous year.

The annual general court of the company will be held on May 31. At that time, the board proposes to recommend a dividend on the ordinary share capital of the company of 1 per cent less income tax, and to make a further distribution of the surplus on land account of 1 1-2 per cent, compared with 1 per cent in 1938-39, on which income tax is not payable.

The company's balance sheet continues to show a strong position. The total assests amount to $28,953,000 as compared to $28,970,000 last year. The excess of current assets over liabilities is $10,034,000 compared with $9,840,000 last year, and $9,280,000 in 1938. There are no bonds or debentures. The accounts show a surplus of $850,000 as against $940,000 last year, and the statement says that, after providing for dividends, there will be carried forward on the profit and loss account $486,000, and on the land account $87,000.

NEW BUILDING AT EDMONTON

During the year certain properties in Canada, no longer required by the company, have been disposed of, and the losses on realisation have been written off, along with the balance at debit of the old store in Edmonton where the new building has been completed. Unsold lands in the possession of the company on January 31, 1939, amounted to 1,805,802 acres. During the year 1939-40, 51,596 acres were sold, 33,059 acres reverted to the company under canceled shares, and 9,463 acres were written off. After other minor adjustments, 1,777,817 acres are shown in the memorandum entry on the balance sheet as at January 31. In the course of the year, the land department received from the Hudson's Bay Oil & Gas Company, Limited, $8,500 for oil royalties from two wells drilled on the company's land in Turner Valley.

The retail stores, partly due to reduced operating costs, produced an increased profit during the year. The wholesale department benefited both before and after the outbreak of war from increased buying on the part of retailers.

Restrictions on international trade in recent years have adversely affected the fur trade department. These difficulties have been added to greatly since the outbreak of war by further import regulations and exchange controls. Fur collections for the past year were approximately the same as in the preceding year.

B.C. EXTENDING FERRY SERVICE

Denman and Salt Spring Island Charters Renewed For Further Terms

Two ferry charters for services in Vancouver Island waters were renewed yesterday by the Provincial Government for their present holders. One renewal was for a period of five years, and the other for ten years.

The five-year agreement went to W. W. Baikie, H. P. Baikie and J. W. Baikie for operation of the Denman Island ferry across Baynes Sound, out of Buckley Bay.

The Gulf Islands Ferry Company, operating the Salt Spring Island ferry from Swartz Bay to Fulford Harbor, was granted licence extension in the terms of the existing contract, for ten years.

Edmonton Airman Reported Missing

EDMONTON, May 16 (CP).—Flying Officer Donald Foster, formerly of Edmonton, who recently was sent to France with a Royal Air Force unit, has been listed as "missing" by the air command, according to word received here today by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Foster.

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CRUISING HERE IS MADE EASY

Wartime Conditions Offer No Difficulty to United States Yachtsmen

The regulations covering entry into British Columbia waters have been materially relaxed. In effect, there are now no restrictions, except that the naval examination is still necessary, either at Victoria or Vancouver. Major J. Gordon Smith, British Columbia travel bureau commissioner, states.

Visiting yachtsmen are now given clearance at any of the four chief ports, Victoria, Nanaimo, Vancouver or Prince Rupert, which enables them to move freely and at their leisure within the jurisdiction of that port. That is to say, a yachtsman calls at Victoria and is given his clearance. He can then go on at will, stop where he pleases, without troubling to report further, until he enters the Nanaimo zone, when he gets his clearance from Nanaimo.

This is a wide concession, since Victoria's jurisdiction extends north to Cowichan Bay, including the bay, and round the west and north coast of the Island to Courtenay. Nanaimo's zone extends from the north shore of Cowichan Bay to Courtenay. In all that area, the yachtsman need only report twice, once at Victoria and once at Nanaimo.

Further or more detailed information may be secured from G. A. Yardley, collector of customs and excise, Victoria. War conditions offer no restrictions.

PROVIDES FUNDS TO BUY VESSELS

Sum of $1,700,000 Appropriated to Acquire Craft for Protection Of Shipping

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP).—An appropriation of $1,700,000 under the War Measures Act for the acquisition of vessels for the protection of Canadian shipping has been made by the Dominion Government, according to an order in council tabled in the House of Commons today.

The order in council, signed on April 5, gave no particulars of the type or number of vessels to be provided.

Another order in council of the same date provided that all Canadian ships putting out to sea must be provided with protective equipment for personnel against machine gunning. Shipowners must provide the equipment to the specification of the naval authorities. The type of the equipment was not mentioned.

Competent officers designated by the Government, according to another order in council, shall have authority to keep a vessel in port or an aircraft "grounded" if deemed necessary for the safety of such vessel or aircraft.

ALL WRONG

A daily paper says that in Germany there is a shortage of cigars, but plenty of cabbages. This doesn't make sense.

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"Carry and Save" is the theme of many a thrifty home manager who shops in our modern, convenient Groceteria. Here are examples of savings featured for TODAY and SATURDAY.

Golden Bantam Corn. Aylmer, 17-oz. tins 3 for 25c
Peas. Orchard City, size 5's, 17-oz. tins 3 for 26c
Pork and Beans. Aylmer, 15-oz. tins 3 for 20c
Tomato and Vegetable Soup. Aylmer 3 tins 22c

FRUIT AND VEGETABLE JUICES

Drink Your Way to Health With a Glass Before Each Meal

Tomato Juice. Libby's, 10½-oz. tins at 4 for 19c; 25½-oz. tins 10c
Pineapple Juice, Libby's, 50-oz. tin 30c
Pineapple Juice. Dole's, 13-oz. tins 3 for 29c
Orange and Grapefruit Juice. Libby's, 13-oz. tins 3 for 27c
Grapefruit Juice. Tropic Gold, 13-oz. tins 3 for 20c
Orchard Garden Texas Grapefruit Juice, 50-oz. tin 19c

Strawberry Jam. Holsum, Pure, 4-lb. tin 48c
Cooked Spaghetti. Libby's, 15-oz. tins 3 for 25c
Sandwich Pastes. Hedlund's Assorted 3 tins 19c
Salmon. Horseshoe, ½'s, per tin 19c
Peaches. Lynn Valley, 2's squat, tin 13c
Peanut Butter. Met'ali'a, 26-oz. jar 24c
Tomato Catchup. Libby's, 12-oz. bottle 13c
Pickles. Happy-Vale, Sweet, Sour or Mustard Mixed, 32-oz. jar 24c
Kippered Snacks. King Oscar 2 tins 15c
Bartlett Pears. Turner's, 2's squat 2 for 23c

Butter. Hudsonia, First Grade only, per lb. 30c 3 lbs 88c
With All Its Goodness It Costs No More
Side Bacon. Pacific Sliced, ½-lb. pkt. for 12c 2 pkts. 23c
Pineapple. Blue Mountain, Sliced, Cubed and Crushed 2 tins 21c
Jelly Powders. Nabob Assorted 2 pkts. 9c
Soap. Sunlight 4 bars 19c
Lard. Swift's Silverleaf, 1-lb. cartons 2 for 19c
Domestic Shortening A Purely Vegetable Shortening, 1-lb. cartons 2 for 24c
With a Valuable Cook Book FREE!
Waxpaper. Para Sani, large roll, per pkt. 22c
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Lifebuoy Soap 2 cakes 13c

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Five Roses, Robin Hood, Royal Household, Maple Leaf and Purity

24-lb. sack 84c 49-lb. sack 1.59 98-lb. sack 3.09

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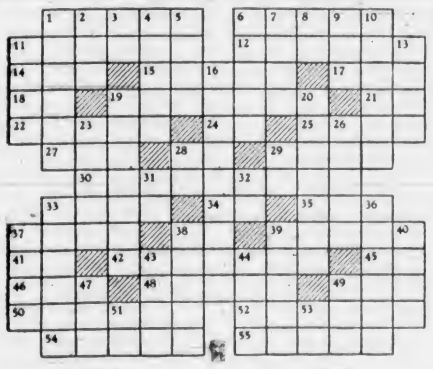
FROM OUR SERVICE SECTION

Shoulders of New Zealand Yearling Lamb. Tender and sweet, per lb. 15c
Rolled Roasts Veal, per lb. 23c
Smoked Picnics, per lb. 19c
Mild Flavored Cheese, per lb. 25c
Fresh Local Halibut, per lb. 22c
Rump Roasts Veal, per lb. 28c
Veal Chops, per lb. 30c
Sliced Virginia Ham, per lb. 65c
Steak and Kidney Pies 2 for 19c
Fresh Red Spring Salmon, per lb. 25c

HER QUESTION, TOO

The schoolmaster was explaining the meaning of the word "recuperate." "Now, James," he said, "if your father works hard all day, he will be tired and worn out." James: "Yess'r!" Master: "Then, when evening comes and his work is over for the day, what does he do?" James: "That's what mother wants to know."

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



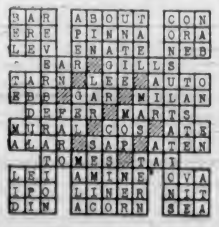
ACROSS

1. Horses.
6. Slumber.
11. To urge.
12. Snarl.
14. Insect.
15. Titles.
17. Precious stone.
18. Exists.
19. To surfeit.
21. Symbol for gold.
22. Indication.
24. Paid notice.
25. Yields.
27. Western university.
28. Bone.
29. Philippine savages.
30. Recalls.
33. French priest.
34. Sloth.
35. Roman bronze.
37. Told.
38. French conjunction.
39. City in Italy.
41. Land measure.
42. Inhabitant.
45. Earth goddess.
46. Meadow.
48. American black snake.
49. Edible seed.
50. To apprehend by insight.
52. Terrified.
54. Succinct.
55. Slightest.

DOWN

1. Pertaining to memory.
2. High card.
3. Japanese measure.
4. Heating apparatuses.
5. Bench.
6. Place.
7. Ultimate.
8. Printer's measure.
9. Ovum.
10. Folds.
11. Wading bird.
13. Ostrich-like birds
16. Noxious.
19. Scoffed.
20. To carry along.
23. Pierced.
26. Painter's stand.
28. Periodic windstorm.
29. Diphthong.
31. Pronoun.
32. Prefix: two.
33. Sire.
36. Wisest.
37. Island east of Java.
38. Growing out.
39. To unite.
40. Tidy.
43. Goddess of discord.
44. Enthusiasm.
47. Devoured.
49. Dance step.
51. City in Chaldea.
53. Exclamation.

DOWN



ANSWER TO LAST PUZZLE

EXPECT GOOD RACING CARD

New Machines Ready for Season's Opener Tomorrow at Langford

With new speed wagons primed and ready for action, Victoria's racing pilots should give visiting American drivers plenty of real opposition this season, according to close followers of the automobile racing game. During the Fall and Winter months there has been considerable activity in local shops and when the curtain goes up tomorrow evening at the Langford Speedway the fans will see some brand new machines in action.

Present indications point to all events being well filled, with the possibility of between fourteen and fifteen cars facing the starting flag for the time trials. Six ace drivers from across the border have been booked for the show and with more than an equal number of Canadian speed demons ready for action the inaugural show promises to be a thriller.

The visiting contingent will include Jimmy Symes, Chick Barbo, Claude Walling, Seth Kenning, Lew McMurtry and Wes Moore, all favorites with Victoria automobile racing fans. Digger Caldwell, top driver last season, will lead the local contingent, Jerry Vantreight, "Butcher Boy" Joe Moore, Jack Frumento, Buddy Green and Jack Spaulding, formerly of Seattle, will uphold this city's colors against the invading speedsters.

The programme will start at 7:45 o'clock with the time trials. Other events will include the helmet dash, match race, heats and the thirty-lap main event.

DACHSHUNDS TO BE SHOWN

Canines Will Be Benched Here for First Time at Crystal Garden

Long-haired Dachshunds will be benched at the championship show to be staged by the Vancouver Island Dog Fanciers' Association at the Crystal Garden tomorrow, for the first time on the Coast, according to officials in charge. The canines have been shipped here by P. S. Dickson, Burwell, Ontario, and will be in charge of Mrs. A. K. Hedley-Peek. Several other dogs from all parts of the Pacific Coast will be shown here for the first time and therefore competition is expected to be keener than in any of the past events.

The association announced yesterday that 165 dogs, the largest entry ever attained by the club, were entered. Three St. Bernards are entered, including Victory, owned by Mrs. Chris Bloomfield, the dog who is collecting daily for the Canadian Red Cross Society, under whose auspices the show will be held. Mr Jarvis, San Francisco, is bringing a Saint to the city and Mr. Pett, New Westminster, will bench the third.

Brigadier-General J. G. Austin, head of the Red Cross Society in Victoria, will open the show at 10:30 in the morning, after which judging will start. James Walter Trullinger, Harrisburg, Penn., one of the best-known judges on the continent, will hand down all the decisions.

Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Max Bloomfield and Mrs. Art Veale. A silver tea service will be given away on the admission tickets.

Grads Preparing For Next Series

EDMONTON, May 16 (CP) — Edmonton Grads, world senior women's basketball champions, will go through a strenuous training session here tomorrow night in preparation for their exhibition three-game series against Wichita Thurstons, opening here Saturday. Second and third games will be played Monday and Wednesday.

BASEBALL'S BIG SIX

By The Associated Press

The three leading batters in each league (including ties) follow:

	G	AB	R	H	Pct.
Averill, Tigers	14	47	5	22	.468
Pinney, Red Sox	22	95	16	38	.400
Walker, Dodgers	14	42	7	17	.395
Radcliff, Browns	22	92	12	34	.391
Wright, White Sox	22	82	15	36	.391
Hayes, Athletics	21	89	12	27	.391
Gustine, Pirates	13	50	6	19	.380
Danning, Giants	21	81	11	30	.370

HOME RUNS

American League — Foxx, Red Sox, 9.

National League — Mize, Cardinals, 9.

RUNS BATTED IN

American League—Foxx, Red Sox, 30

National League—Mize, Cardinals, 21.

RESTING COMFORTABLY

Pat Hoole, Victoria bicycle rider, injured in The Province Cup race Wednesday at Vancouver, will be detained at the Vancouver General Hospital for one week, according to advices reaching here yesterday from the Mainland. Hoole sustained bruised tissues at the base of his spine following a spill, but suffered no bone fractures, and is resting comfortably.

GAME CARDED TONIGHT

LUXTON, May 16—The Luxton Athletic Club is sponsoring a basketball game and dance in the district hall Friday evening. The cage tussle will start at 7:30 and dancing from 9 o'clock to 1 a.m. Refreshments will be served during the evening. Proceeds will go to the club to buy athletic equipment.

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Lovely finely woven cotton percales in a host of new designs, exclusive to "The Bay." Smart for wear on sunny days . . . also for house coats, play suits and kiddies' wear; 36 inches. Yard 39c

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Attractive new designs in printed linenes for your Summer outing togs. The colors will launder up fresh and new; 36 inches wide. Yard 49c

"TOOTALS" ORGANDIES
Crisp sheers in gorgeous patterns for intriguing evening wear or cool afternoon frocks; 36 inches wide. Yard 89c

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Dainty cool cotton sheers for comfortable dresses for warm Summer days. A delightful assortment of beautiful designs for afternoon frocks and evening wear; 36 inches wide. Yard 59c

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An ever popular English cotton fabric shown in designs that are unusually lovely and of the same excellent quality that has made the name famous. Printed or plain; 36 inches wide. Yard 69c

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Beautiful permanent creped organdies. The colorings are truly lovely . . . you'll want at least one garment of this material in your wardrobe; 36 inches wide. Yard 1.19

Fabrics, Street Floor at THE BAY

COTTON-WEEK SPECIALS

PRINTS
A grand array of new designs for Summer frocks, house coats and play suits . . . printed cottons that will give good wear and cool comfort; 36 inches wide. Special, yard 15c

PRINTS
Lovely, soft, fine quality cotton prints in lovely designs. An excellent cloth for washable Summer togs; 36 inches wide. Special, yard 22c

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Beach Shop, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

See Our Window Displays

FOR COOL SLEEPING COMFORT
Dainty Gowns and Pyjamas in batiste, crepe broadcloth and seersuckers. Prim and pretty prints. Small, medium and large. Each 1.19 to 2.98

AND UNDERNEATH IT ALL
Cool Cotton Undies in a waffle knit. Slim-fitting mercerized cottons in tearose and white. Small, medium and large. Each 39c to 50c

Lingerie, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

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Elastic Thread, 20-yard card. All colors. Each 15c
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Lefty Gomez Ailing

NEW YORK, May 16 (AP).—Lefty Gomez, the Yankees' southpaw pitcher, conferred with the club's president, Ed Barrow, today and decided to go to Baltimore to have his ailing left side and back examined at Johns Hopkins Hospital.

Gomez injured his side while pitching in last Fall's world series. "My arm is fine," he said. "But the muscles in my side tighten up whenever I start to pitch."

Victoria's Lead To Be Followed By Other Cities

Following the lead given by Victoria, nearly every city in Canada is planning the establishment of a superfluities store similar to the Red Cross store that has been operating so successfully in Victoria since the war began, Dr. F. W. Routley, national commissioner of the Canadian Red Cross Society, said yesterday.

With Mrs. Wallace Campbell, O.B.E., national chairman of the women's war work committee, the commissioner paid a visit of inspection to the Red Cross Superfluities Store on Government Street yesterday morning, and was warm in his praise of the manner in which the enterprise was organized and conducted.

Dr. Routley asked the Victoria branch to prepare a leaflet giving instructions as to how to inaugurate and conduct the store as a guide to branches in other cities planning similar ventures.

Ark of Juneau At Anacortes

ANACORTES, Wash., May 16 (AP).—Paul Satko, accompanied by his daughter, Hazel, eighteen, reached Anacortes from Laconner yesterday evening in the Ark of Juneau on which Satko hopes to take his family to Alaska.

Mrs. Satko and the couple's younger children, forbidden by court order to travel on the boat until certain improvements have been made, came here by automobile.

PRISON FOR A JOKE

A joke about the Nazis has earned a year in prison for the German comedian Weissferdl.

It isn't his first "indiscretion." This was the wisecrack: "I see that Hitler has been returned with a ninety-eight per cent majority. But the odd thing is I am always meeting the other two."

Report Proposes Drastic Changes In Public Finance

Royal Commission Suggests Provinces Give Up Income and Corporation Taxing Authority—Dominion Will Assume Provincial Debts And Unemployed Employables Relief

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OTTAWA, May 16.—A rearranged Confederation set-up to smooth the path for full realization of objectives laid down in 1867 was envisioned today in a historic report of the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial Relations.

Four commissioners, bolstered by a staff of experts which included some of the best brains of the country, presented a simplified financial course for the Canadian ship of state. It was the product of an examination that started in November, 1937.

The report records Canada's progress to nationhood. It outlines a broad plan calculated to remove causes of friction and financial difficulties and to permit the preservation of the ideals of the Fathers of Confederation.

FOR UNITY AND PROGRESS

For the first time in seventy-three years the people of Canada had a chance to look at themselves. In its report, the commission recommended the bringing up to date of the machinery through which the Fathers of Confederation sought to obtain their ends of national unity and progress.

Appointed in August, 1937, the reporting commission was composed of four distinguished Canadians—Dr. Joseph Sirois, Quebec, professor of constitutional and administrative law at Laval University, chairman; John W. Dafoe, editor-in-chief of The Winnipeg Free Press; Dr. R. A. MacKay, Halifax, professor of government at Dalhousie University, and H. F. Angus, Vancouver, professor of economics at University of British Columbia.

Its original chairman, Hon. Newton W. Rowell, retired on account of ill health after most of the public hearings had been completed. Another original member, Mr. Justice Thibaudeau Rinfret, of the Supreme Court of Canada, retired because of illness before the hearings began, being succeeded by Dr. Sirois. The commissioners worked for more than a year compiling their lengthy report after sitting in public for the last time in December, 1938.

FEDERAL CONTROL

The commission's long-range plan, in general, would shuffle the financial powers and responsibilities of Canada's various Governments for the attainment of "real autonomy" for the provinces in local matters and give effective Federal control in fields where national interest is paramount. Jurisdictions are also clarified.

The sweeping financial plan, which is the core of the commission's proposals, would cost the Dominion Government approximately $40,000,000 a year under present conditions.

The plan calls for Dominion assumption of entire responsibility for relief of unemployed employables, which would have meant an added Dominion expenditure of $50,000,000 in 1939. It also calls for the Federal Government taking over all existing provincial debt, involving service charges of around $60,000,000 a year.

To compensate the Dominion, the Provincial Governments would be asked to withdraw from the income, corporation and inheritance tax fields, which could be expected to yield about $65,000,000 a year. They would also give up their present right to subsidies from the Dominion which average around $20,000,000 a year.

SUPPLEMENTARY FUNDS

Where this transfer did not enable all Provincial Governments to provide a national minimum standard of services and balance their budgets without excessive local taxation, the Federal authority would provide supplementary funds to take care of the deficiency.

These national adjustment grants, as they are termed, would amount to $14,900,000 annually at present, according to calculations of the commission's research staff, after appraising the economies and taxable capacities of the nine provinces.

In addition to these basic adjustment grants, which would be irreducible as first calculated and reviewed every five years, emergency grants would be provided to meet temporary crises in the provinces. They would be reviewed every year. At present Saskatchewan is the only province eligible for such additional aid, because of drought and world grain market conditions, in the commission's view.

SAFEGUARDS FUTURE

The financial scheme would improve the position of every Provincial Government, although in varying degree, the report claimed. It would provide a secure and relatively stable financial future for the provinces, since the most fluctuating taxes would be absorbed by the Dominion with its broader tax base.

This tax transfer would permit a much simplified public finance structure, which in turn would permit more unified fiscal, monetary and economic policies in Canada. They would be reflected in the general welfare of the Canadian taxpayer.

The present "inefficient and wasteful" tax structure, the commission reported, "sabotages" efforts to increase the national income and even depresses that income. While the proposed plan would not involve reduction of the absolute tax level, the commission said, it should permit substantial increase in the national income, which would make the present tax load relatively lighter.

The commission suggested that the added revenue required by the Dominion to carry this fiscal plan might be obtained by broadening the income tax base by substantially increasing the load in the lower and middle brackets, and increasing succession duties. It recommended the progressive elimination of the sales tax.

AID TO MUNICIPALITIES

Municipalities benefit directly by being relieved of the relatively heavy relief burden, amounting to about $20,000,000 a year, 80 per cent of which comes from real estate taxation. The commission also recommended that the provinces exercise greater control over municipal borrowing and budgeting.

Since the Dominion assumes responsibility for unemployment relief, kindred phases of the same problems such as unemployment insurance, a national employment service and right to establish basic minimum wages and maximum hours would also be placed under Dominion jurisdiction.

All other welfare services, the commission asserted, should remain the responsibility of the provinces, as they always have been.

TRANSPORTATION PROBLEM

It pointed with some intensity to the possible effects of uncontrolled rivalry between railways and highways in Canada, considering the situation a "menace to the financial solvency" of Canada.

It voiced no opinion on the question of railway amalgamation, holding that problem outside its scope, but urged an early general review of the freight rate structure. It was non-committal on proposals to merge the Maritime Provinces into one and the Prairie Provinces into another unit, but suggested substantial economies could be effected by establishing one Court of Appeal for the Maritimes and one for the Prairies.

The commission reported finding little grounds for popular complaints of great waste through duplication of government services, while pointing out several other possible causes of waste there.

REGULAR CONFERENCES

Recognizing the difficulties in every Federal structure of maintaining maximum co-operation between Governments, the commission urged Dominion-provincial conferences at regular intervals, with a permanent secretariat set up. In the past, it observed, "the spirit of open diplomacy has sometimes been lacking."

It did not consider its proposals were either centralizing or decentralizing in their combined effect, but it believed "they will conduce to the sane balance between these two tendencies which is the essence of genuine Federal system and, therefore, the basis on which Canadian national unity can most securely rest."

PRESENT PERIL SERIOUS

The commission declared that through its work it came to "appreciate as never before the achievements of the Fathers of Confederation." It hoped they achieved what they did "without laying on future generations the dead hand of the past and that they transmitted to us a Constitution capable of development, not only through judicial interpretation, but through amendment as well, to meet the new situations and problems which were bound to arise incidental to the vast and unforseeable changes which lay before the people of Canada seventy years ago.

"We have asked ourselves anxiously whether our proposals are politically impossible. If we are hopeful that they are not politically impossible, it is because we think that when our report is considered as a whole the people of Canada will see that any lesser departure might lead to disastrous consequence. The present peril is serious and cannot be allowed to grow worse."

TAXING CRITICIZED

Existing distribution of taxing powers gave incentive to the taxing of costs instead of surpluses. Taxes on factors entering into costs, instead of on net income, increased production costs, weakened Canada's ability to compete in world markets and brought new difficulties at home, directly affecting marginal enterprises and indirectly affecting the general level of economic activity and, so, the total national income.

The commission compared the wide variation in the effect of the depression on the provinces, noting how some are unable now to meet their obligations and also provide the social and educational services generally considered essential by Canadians. The report went on:

"More important than all these considerations taken together is the danger to national unity if the citizens of distressed provinces come to feel that their interests are completely disregarded by their more prosperous neighbors and that those who have been their full partners in better times now tell them they must get along as best they can now and accept inferior educational and social services.

"The commission's proposals will inevitably place on the shoulders of taxpayers in the more prosperous provinces heavier burdens than those which they bear today, but these burdens will not be so heavy as those which they will have to bear, directly from increased taxation and indirectly through restriction of the national income, if present conditions continue."

DEBT TRANSFER

In the debt transfer part of the plan, the Dominion would take over the net provincial debt service. The Dominion would assume the entire provincial debt, but the provinces would pay to the Federal debt authority an annual amount equal to the interest received by the provinces from provincial investments such as self-supporting utilities.

The commission stressed the point that if this appeared at first glance to benefit one province above another, it should be considered only as an integral part of the general rearrangement.

Because of an unique situation in Quebec, where the municipalities have wider responsibilities than in other provinces, making their debt correspondingly high and the Quebec provincial debt relatively low, the commission recommended that the Dominion there assume either the entire provincial debt service or 40 per cent of the combined municipal and provincial debt, whichever is larger.

EXCHANGE OF BONDS

An agency to manage this huge debt would "presumably offer new Dominion bonds in exchange for the outstanding provincial bonds." This would be accomplished either by replacing provincial bonds with Dominion bonds of like interest rates and like duration, or provincial bonds might all be callable at par or at the best selling price during 1939 and be refunded by the Dominion whenever advantageous.

In the first case, if maturities were refunded at 3¼ per cent, there would be a progressive reduction in interest charges which would reach $5,000,000 annually by 1944 and $9,000,000 by 1949. In the second case, refunding at 3¼ would mean an immediate saving of $7,800,000 if refunding were undertaken "wherever this would result in any appreciable saving under the callable provisions suggested."

Such borrowings could be on the sole credit of the province, as at present, in which case the debt charges would have to be met entirely by that province and excluded in future calculations of national adjustment grants. Or they could be made with the approval of a finance commission or some such administrative body and the debt charges would be considered part of provincial expenditures, in calculations for the grants.

ADVANTAGES SHOWN

Recognizing the heavy additional burden being placed on the Dominion in the debt transfer, the commission said: "This is the commission's deliberate intention, since there is ample evidence to establish that the Dominion and only the Dominion can and should bear the fixed deadweight charges which have arisen from unproductive developmental policies and from depression expenditures largely beyond the control of the individual provinces.

"There are also positive advantages arising from consolidation and unified management of Dominion and provincial debts. Substantial savings would be achieved, at least relatively, over a period of time by refunding. The most advantageous distribution of maturities and timing of new issues would be possible.

"Debt management would be in the hands of the Government responsible for monetary and exchange policy. As this is also the Government which would be responsible for unemployment relief and for dealing with major emergencies such as war, effective co-ordination of all these policies could be achieved."

The commission noted the "high proportion" of Canadian governmental debt payable in foreign currency. Only half the provincial debt and 60 per cent of the total Dominion and Canadian National Railways debt were payable exclusively in Canadian currency.

Within the past decade, it said, exchange rate control had become a recognized and "almost respectable" weapon in every nation's arsenal of economic policies, adding: "It has also become apparent that if this weapon is to be used effectively it must be in the hands of one body and that all commitments in foreign currencies, by governments or individuals, must be subject to the control of that body."

ADJUSTMENT GRANTS

The commission's recommendations for annual payment of national adjustment grants and for a body to advise in future adjustment grants and emergency grants were underlined as of major importance.

They were a complete break from the "chaotic and illogical subsidy system now existing," making provision for the carrying out of commission recommendations regarding public welfare, education, development and conservation.

"They illustrate the commission's conviction that provincial autonomy in those fields must be respected and strengthened and that the only true independence is financial security . . . They are the concrete expression of the commission's conception of a Federal system which will both preserve a healthy local autonomy and build a stronger and more united nation."

No conditions were attached to the national adjustment grants. While they are designed to enable a province to provide national average standards of services without greater than average taxation, the province is free to determine on what services the grants will be spent or whether they will be used instead to reduce provincial—and municipal—taxation.

REVIEW EVERY FIVE YEARS

The grants are irreducible as first calculated, but would be subject to review every five years. Increases would be recommended when a province established that it could not supply average service and balance its budget without provincial and municipal taxation appreciably exceeding the national average in relation to income.

Some such grant provision was considered necessary, said the report, because the quality of education and welfare services was no longer a matter of purely local concern.

"Not only national duty and decency, if Canada is to be a nation at all, but equity and national self-interest demand that the residents of these (depressed) areas be given average services and equal opportunities—equity because these areas may have been impoverished by the national economic policies which enriched other areas and which were adopted in the general interest," it said. "Those whose interests were sacrificed have some claim that the partnership should work both ways.

"National self-interest demands it because the existence of areas of inferior educational and public health standards affects the whole population and creates many grave and dangerous problems . . . In this case prevention in both fiscal and human terms, is much cheaper than the cure."

RELIEF RESPONSIBILITY

Attempts in recent years by huge inter-governmental grants and loans to maintain the traditional position that all relief was primarily a local responsibility, "undermined the financial independence of the provinces, which is fundamental to the Federal system, and made a mockery of responsibility in public finance."

"The traditional technique of poor relief is quite inadequate for coping with the modern problem of mass unemployment and mass agricultural destitution in Canada," asserted the report.

Through the grants, the commission suggested, among other things, that Provincial Governments might be enabled to undertake more adequate conservation measures, a field "seriously neglected" and one of the most profitable in which governments could invest.

Withdrawal by the provinces from the personal income tax, corporation and inheritance tax fields was recommended for two major reasons.

First, it was an essential part of the financial plan under which the Dominion would take on relief costs, provincial debt and the adjustment grants—thus providing the provinces adequate compensation for withdrawing from these taxes.

Second, administration of these taxes by a single authority was essential for their fair operation as between the provinces and to minimize their harmful effect on the national income, eliminating countless complexities, wastes and abuses under the present system.

PROVINCES WITHDRAW

Specifically, the commission recommended that the provinces withdraw from all corporation taxes "except bona fide licence taxes, taxes on real estate and consumption taxes applicable to corporations and other consumers." In other words, a corporation should be taxed by a province and its municipalities in respect of its business only in the same way that an individual or a partnership would be taxed.

The commission further recommended that "a rebate should be made to the provinces of an amount equal to 10 per cent of all profits of mining—including oil development—and smelting and refining of native provincial mineral products." This was based on a recognized provincial right to participate directly in profits arising from wasting assets.

The income tax, currently applied by the Dominion and also by many provinces, had "failed to fill a role in Canada commensurate with its possibilities."

PERSONAL INCOME TAX

The personal income tax, said the report, is the "most highly-developed modern instrument of taxation," capable of more delicate adjustment to individual circumstances and so made fairer in its effect than any other tax.

"It can raise a given revenue with less burden on the national economy than any other tax because it is drawn from surplus income rather than made a burden on costs . . . The income tax is collected directly and relatively cheaply, with no hidden costs and waste. And it has become an integral part of modern economic, political and social policy.

"It is the most effective method yet devised, within the framework of the capitalist economy, for achieving the social and humanitarian objectives of our civilization; for applying wealth which is made possible only by organized society for the benefit of society as a whole, for preserving the freedom of the individual initiative and at the same time making possible the financing of those services which can be most economically provided by the community as a whole."

TAX RATES VARY

In Canada, it had been "crippled and seriously distorted" by the division of jurisdiction. Rates varied widely between provinces, and even municipalities, creating serious inequities and hindering freedom of movement.

The report tabulated Dominion, provincial and municipal personal income tax payable in various cities by married residents without children last year, before imposition of new war rates, as follows:

City—	Gross Income $3,000	Gross Income $10,000
Charlottetown	$ 61.90	$ 821.20
Halifax	30.00	546.00
Saint John	30.00	636.00
Quebec, Que.	30.00	546.00
Montreal	33.00	655.00
Toronto	44.55	778.70
Winnipeg	77.04	993.00
Regina	71.50	1,034.00
Edmonton	65.00	1,036.00
Victoria	60.00	1,051.00
New York	28.00	655.00
London, England	283.13	1,910.63
Paris, France	579.00	3,564.00

Income tax was held unsuitable to the provinces not only because it hindered development of an efficient tax structure for the country as a whole, but because, by nature of the Canadian economy, it was only productive in some parts of the country. Some provinces held a grievance that income earned in their territory was concentrated in other provinces by the workings of national policies, where it was taxable by those other provinces.

This divided jurisdiction, coupled with the constitutional inability of the Dominion to compel the provinces to comply with treaties on matters within provincial jurisdiction, reduced Canada's ability to enter into effective international agreements respecting income taxes, which the commission said had recently become of importance. "One result of this may be the inability of the Dominion to secure fair treatment for Canadians investing abroad and another may be the discouragement of investment in Canada by foreigners," the report stated.

DOMINION AUTHORITY

The commission thinks it desirable that the income tax should be used in accordance with modern practice as the equalizer and chief instrument of adjustment in the whole tax system. This is particularly necessary in view of the existing tax burdens on business costs, marginal industry and low-income groups. The rate and appropriate curve of progressivity necessary to reform and control the tax structure can only be achieved if this equalizing instrument is under one authority. That authority can only be the Dominion."

The commission attached far greater importance to the beneficial effect on the national income which would result from reform of the tax system than to certain economies which would result from unified collection.

An incidental consideration was the growing demand for contributory social services, which might be financed in part by wages taxes, making unified collection of income taxes all the more important.

In the corporation tax field, "the present complexity is beyond belief," the commission found. These taxes had "grown up in a completely unplanned and unco-ordinated way and violate every canon of sound taxation."

COMPLEX TAXATION

In addition to the corporation income taxes imposed by the Dominion and most Provincial Governments, there were taxes by various governments on capital stock, number of business places, gross revenue, physical volume of output, period of operation, mileage of track or wire, mileage operated, note circulation, insurance premiums, investments, volume of deposits. These in turn applied on different terms to different types of business.

"Complaints by business organizations about the inequities resulting from the present chaos in corporation taxes and the unnecessary cost of tax compliance were made to the commission from end to end of the Dominion," said the report. "In general we find these complaints to be well-founded."

Prime criticism of the present system was that business itself was taxed, instead of merely using the corporation as a means to collect taxes easily from final recipients of wages, interest and dividends. About $20,000,000 in Dominion and provincial corporation taxes came from taxes which had no relation to net profits.

Secondly, divided jurisdiction involved inevitable inequity, lack of uniformity and efficiency. Businesses operating nationally paid taxes on all sorts of bases, often being even triple-taxed.

TEMPERED DOWN

A spinster living in a London suburb was shocked at the language used by two men repairing telegraph wires close to her home. She wrote to the company on the matter, and the foreman was asked to report. This he did in the following way:

"Me and Bill Fairweather were on this job. I was up the telegraph pole, and accidentally let the hot lead fall on Bill. It went down his neck. Then he said: 'You really must be more careful, Harry.'"

Crew of H.M.S. Hardy Arrives Home

Winston Churchill Speaks to the Fifty-Three Survivors of the British Destroyer Hardy Upon Their Return to London After Their Exploits in the First Battle of Narvik. With Them Were Seventy-Eight Men of the Destroyer Eclipse, Which Returned to Port Damaged After an Air Attack.

Rules Province Is Entitled to Revise Per Capita Subsidy

Dominion-Provincial Commission Suggests Partial Claim Be Allowed by Federal Government—Debt Allowance Also Reviewed by Board

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP).—British Columbia's claims for adjustments of subsidies payable by the Dominion to the Provincial Government received partial recognition in the report today of the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial Relations, but the Commission found no basis for the Province's claim that the Dominion should take over the Pacific Great Eastern Railway.

For many years British Columbia has sought an upward revision of its subsidies and in 1934 the Dominion recognized the claim by making an interim increase of $750,000 annually. This was to be paid pending a complete investigation and final determination of the question.

REVISE SUBSIDIES

"We think the Province, because of economic conditions similar to those of the Prairie Provinces, is entitled to some adjustment for the period prior to 1930 both in the matter of revision of its debt allowance and in the matter of revision of her per capita subsidies on a two-and-half-year basis," said the report. "But in view of the different constitutional status of British Columbia from that of the prairie provinces prior to 1930 it is not entitled to the full amount of its claim under these heads."

The interim subsidy of $750,000, started in 1934, was adequate to take account of all items on which provincial claims could be allowed, the report found, but to remove any doubts as to the future position, British Columbia should be accorded the same treatment as the Prairie Provinces in the revision of per capita subsidies.

DEBT ALLOWANCE

The Prairie Provinces have a census every five years to determine the amount of per capita subsidies. In its general recommendations the commission suggested the Prairie Provinces' census be taken only every ten years like the rest of Canada unless the census of the whole country is taken every five years. If this recommendation is not adopted the British Columbia census should be taken every five years.

Further, British Columbia should be accorded a debt allowance of $8,107,500, instead of the present $2,029,391, the same as that of the Prairie Provinces, and the difference between interest on the increased debt allowance and the interim subsidy of $750,000 be paid to the Province as a special annual subsidy in full settlement of all claims for the period prior to 1934.

P.G.E. RAILWAY

The Pacific Great Eastern Railway is owned by the Province and runs from Squamish to Quesnel. The Province's contention that the original plan that the railway should serve as the Pacific outlet into Vancouver for the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway was frustrated when the Dominion took over the Grand Trunk and merged it with the Canadian Northern to form the Canadian National Railways.

The commission found no basis for holding that the Dominion should come to the assistance of an unprofitable railway merely because in the past it had assisted other railways with which that railway had contractual relations.

"It would, of course, be well within the powers of the Dominion to acquire the Pacific Great Eastern as part of the Canadian National system but this is wholly a question of policy upon which we are not called upon or empowered to advise," said the commission.

B.C. Given Warning To Insure Against Drop in Resources

Royal Commission Says Province Is "Living On Its Capital" and Urges Debt Amortization—Government Services of Superior Standard

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP).—The financial security assured the provinces under the fiscal plan of the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial Relations would provide British Columbia with insurance against the day when its exploitable resources begin to show serious depletion, the Commission suggested in its report released today.

British Columbia enjoys Government services of superior standard. Provincial revenue being nearly double the average, but "to an important extent, the province has been living on its capital," the commission stated.

"Overhead Government costs that are easily borne from the surplus of above-average resources and a huge capital investment programme may prove crushing when only average resources remain and new investment tapers off," it went on.

"Services and a standard of living established and financed by treating capital depletion as current income will be subject to extreme pressure when the first phase of exploitation passes."

The Province for years to come would have a per capita income higher than the average, but it would also be more variable and vulnerable. The commission warned.

FUTURE ECONOMY

"The necessity of amortizing debt incurred for developmental projects, and particularly for those such as the Pacific Great Eastern (railway), which have already proved ill-advised and unproductive before the best of the resources are exhausted, is clear. Equally important is the most economic utilization of the remaining resources and the development of ways and means of strengthening the economy for the future."

However, "in the meantime, British Columbia residents have the advantage of better education and better communal service than has the average Canadian citizen and they have shown a willingness to maintain these standards by submitting to higher than average taxation."

The commission warned against expectation that the "fortuitous coincidence of economic events of the last two decades which proved so stimulating and advantageous to British Columbia will be repeated." The differential advantage would pass.

This is the effect of the commission's public finance plan on British Columbia on the basis of 1937 figures, as given in the report:

Credits—	
Net debt service assumed by Dominion	$6,540,000
Relief to employables assumed by Dominion	3,408,000
Savings on tax collection costs	415,000
Sinking funds	853,000
Relief works charged to capital account	1,335,000
	$12,551,000
Debits—	
Taxes transferred to Dominion	$8,278,000
Former subsidies (including interim grant)	1,625,000
	$9,903,000
Improvement in financial position before consideration of need of a national adjustment grant	2,648,000
	$12,551,000
Local Governments—	
Relief assumed by Dominion	$ 749,000
Municipal share of relief works	11,000
	$ 760,000
Gain to local Governments	$ 760,000

TRANSFERS FAVORABLE

In most years the Province would gain and the Dominion would lose substantially more than was indicated above. "Transfers are even more favorable to British Columbia taxpayers, since they would involve transfers of taxes which are now considerably above the national average to the Dominion Government, and, consequently, their adjustment to uniform national rates would leaves taxes (provincial and municipal) which approximated the national average in relation to income."

British Columbia "evidently" did not need an adjustment grant at present, the commission concluded. Current above-average services could be maintained and development and conservation expenditures be brought up to pre-depression levels on Provincial taxation slightly lower than the Canadian average. British Columbia taxpayers would be saved between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000.

The proposed budgetary position (basis 1936-39):

Provincial revenues	$20,000,000
Expenditures	19,100,000
Surplus	$ 900,000

REPORT FAVORS COURT MERGERS

Commission Suggests Maritimes and Prairies Establish Joint Tribunals

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP).—Hesitant to approve proposals for merging either of the three maritime provinces or the three prairie provinces, the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial Relations in its report today advised establishment of one Court of Appeal for the Maritimes, instead of three, and one for the prairies instead of three.

A saving of $100,000 annually so effected would be accompanied by a gain, rather than a loss, in efficiency, the commission said.

It recognized that there would be a "strong case" for union of the prairie provinces, to improve the credit standing of the region, if no general change in Dominion-Provincial financial relations were introduced such as the commission is recommending. However, the commission believed its financial proposals would meet the financial difficulties of the prairies more equitably and efficiently than union alone would do.

The question of union, both on the prairies and in the Maritimes, was essentially one for the people most concerned to decide, the commission acknowledged.

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SINGERS' GROUP HOLDS MEETING

Samuel Swetnam Elected President of The Meistersingers Male Choir

A very successful year of activity was reviewed by the Meistersingers of Victoria at their annual meeting held Tuesday night in their clubroom on Broughton Street. Election of officers to further the ambition of this popular male choir of twenty voices under the continued conductorship of Dudley Wickett occupied most of the evening.

The following members were elected to guide the group for the coming season: President, Samuel Swetnam; vice-president, Murray Cree; treasurer, Gilbert Margison; secretary, Jay Pogson; librarian, Digby Smith; executive, Fred Wright and Leslie Smith; conductor, Dudley Wickett, and accompanist, Helen Ockenden.

A special honor was bestowed upon Miss Ockenden for her untiring and generous efforts by according her a lifelong honorary membership. An expression of thanks was also shown by the members to Peggy Moore and Fraser Lister for their generous assistance as guest artists on several occasions.

The retiring president, in closing, spoke of the members deep appreciation of their conductor, Dudley Wickett, whose genial and unstinted effort in leadership and coaching has shown itself in the many recent appearances of The Meistersingers.

Official Opening At Victoria Club

The official opening of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club will take place on Saturday, when the honorary officials, new and prospective members will be entertained to tea as guests of the club.

After an unusually mild Winter the grass courts are in fine shape and eight of these will be open for play, as well as the four hard courts.

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Increase in Night Calls Is Reported

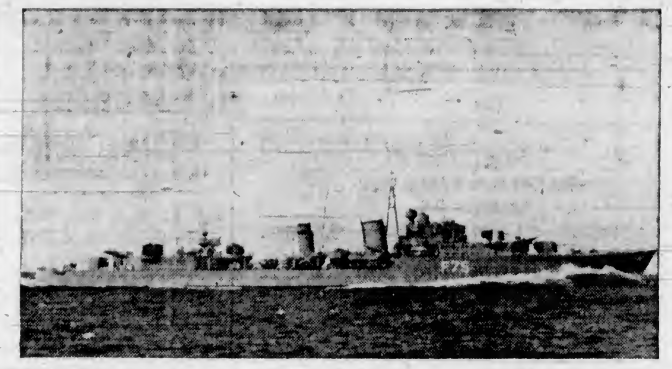
Reporting to the board concerning the work of the Victorian Order of Nurses during the past month, Miss Creasor, head nurse, stated that 281 new patients had been taken on, with 1,055 visits paid. These included twenty-one prenatals, 136 mothers and babies, 189 communicables, fifty cancer, 207 chronics, 210 others, 242 instructive. Of this number, 143 visits were paid for, 112 partly paid, 118 paid by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, and 682 were free.

Night calls had been steadily increasing during the last few months, seventy-one visits being made during April. An outbreak of measles had accounted for the increase in communicable diseases.

Mrs. Midgeley, the secretary, read an encouraging report from Miss McCuaig, Western supervisor. This had been forwarded to the executive council at Ottawa, covering the work of the local branch for the past few years. As the demands upon the order had been increasing yearly, due credit was given Miss Creasor and her staff of five nurses for the satisfactory and efficient method with which these demands were being met.

Miss Smellie, chief superintendent of the order at Ottawa, had paid a flying visit to Victoria on April 22, when members of the board and nursing staff had had the opportunity of renewing her acquaintance.

Destroyer Lost Off Coast of Norway



The Admiralty Last Week Reported the Sinking of the British Destroyer Afridi Off the Coast of Norway While Protecting a British Convoy. The Afridi Is of the Tribal Class, Above, One of the Latest Types of Destroyer, Which Have Unusual Speed, and She Was Completed in 1938.

That Body of Yours

By JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

CONTROLLING SEVERE ATTACKS OF EPILEPSY

Some years ago I was sitting on a bench at a seaside resort when I noticed a "tough" individual sit down in front of me. Presently another of the same type came along and sat a little farther away on the opposite side. When two more of the same type came walking toward me, I took my wife's arm and walked away. I had hardly gone fifty feet before I was startled by a commotion and saw a number of people gathered around a man having a "fit." The man was throwing his arms around, moaning and "frothing" at the mouth. Noticing that he was not hurting himself, I grasped at once that a group of thieves had staged the fake epileptic attack in order to pick the pockets of the excited and interested spectators.

In a true epileptic attack, the patient is "unconscious" and therefore takes no care to prevent injury to himself.

Today there are not many epileptic attacks occurring in public or private because cutting down on liquids and starches and increasing the fat foods prevent the majority of attacks. By the use of the quieting drug phenobarbital, there are but few cases that require to be placed in an institution.

Unfortunately there are some cases where care in an institution is necessary and the patient must remain for a long time before it is considered safe for him to return home. There are others in whom the known methods of treatment—diet and drugs—fail to control the attacks.

The Ontario Department of Health issues leaflets in which it advises physicians and those interested in epilepsy that patients should not be sent to the hospital for epileptics for a definite or short stay. Epilepsy requires considerable time to train the patient as to the absolute necessity for continuing the treatment after leaving the hospital.

"Patients are expected to remain in hospital under observation and treatment until the seizures are completely and convincingly controlled. A period of a year after the last seizure is the time considered necessary to feel sure that seizures can be controlled. Then, if the patient is active, alert, willing to follow all the directions he has learned in the institution, he is allowed out on probation for three months, and discharged if his monthly reports are satisfactory. The physician and the family are given an outline of the treatment the patient must follow."

EMBASSY STAFF IS HELD AT FRONTIER

PARIS, May 16 (AP).—The German Embassy staff from Brussels was detained under military guard by order of the French Government today at the frontier opposite the Swiss town of Vallorbe. The staff is en route to Switzerland, but will not be permitted to proceed until the Belgian Embassy staff is safely out of Germany.

SHOT FOR CRITICIZING

PARIS, May 16 (CP-Havas).—The Petit Parisien reported today that two German officers, a Colonel Etterlin and a veterinary doctor, Colonel Betzler, both attached to the Berlin garrison, were shot on May 8 for criticizing Adolf Hitler's war plans two days before the invasion of the Low Countries.

Tides at Victoria

MAY

Time of tides (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of May, 1940.

Date	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
1	7.05	5.4	10.21	5.8	16.20	4.4	....	....
2	0.04	7.8	7.17	4.8	11.53	5.8	17.24	4.9
3	0.18	7.8	7.35	4.4	12.11	5.9	18.16	5.4
4	0.32	7.9	7.55	3.7	14.20	6.1	18.58	5.6
5	0.49	8.0	8.19	3.1	15.20	6.4	19.34	6.0
6	1.06	8.1	8.45	2.5	16.25	6.6	20.03	6.4
7	1.25	8.3	9.15	2.0	17.14	6.8	20.29	6.6
8	1.44	8.4	9.50	1.6	18.26	7.0	20.56	6.9
9	2.04	8.4	10.24	1.4	19.35	7.2	21.31	7.1
10	2.25	8.4	11.05	1.3	20.34	7.4	22.19	7.3
11	3.10	8.3	11.49	1.4	21.10	7.5	23.32	7.4
12	3.21	8.0	12.32	1.6	21.44	7.6	....	....
13	0.58	7.3	4.01	7.6	13.19	1.9	22.06	7.7
14	2.26	6.9	4.56	7.0	14.06	2.6	22.26	7.8
15	4.06	6.2	5.51	6.4	14.55	3.4	22.46	7.9
16	5.12	5.2	6.47	6.0	15.48	4.1	23.09	8.1
17	6.04	4.2	11.39	6.0	16.48	4.9	23.31	8.4
18	6.48	3.2	13.18	6.3	17.49	5.5	23.58	8.6
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21	0.55	9.0	8.31	0.8	17.14	7.4	20.29	7.0
22	1.25	9.0	9.22	0.5	18.20	7.6	21.20	7.3
23	1.55	8.9	10.15	0.6	19.14	7.9	22.14	7.4
24	2.24	8.5	10.58	0.9	20.21	8.0	23.27	7.4
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The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serves to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill at the Esquimalt Drydock at any tide, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Medium: "The spirit of your late wife is here."

The husband was silent.

Medium: "Do you not understand? You may speak to her."

Husband: "If that is really my late wife, she'll begin of her own accord."

MAY BE GRANTED PAY OF CAPTAIN

National Defence Department Authorized to Engage Personnel of Auxiliary Services

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP). — The National Defence Department has been authorized to grant captain's pay and certain allowances to a certain number of the personnel of auxiliary war service organizations looking after the comfort and entertainment of Canada's armed forces, according to an order in council tabled in Parliament today.

The order, signed April 10, affects some personnel of the Canadian Legion war services, the Young Men's Christian Association, Salvation Army and Knights of Columbus. The proportion of such personnel entitled to captain's pay and allowances was not stated.

Captain's pay is $6.50 a day plus a subsistence, or living allowance, of $1.70 a day. The order stipulates that dependent's allowances of $50 a month for a wife plus $12 for each of a maximum of two children, shall not be paid to such personnel.

Rest Haven Open For Inspection by Those Interested

Public inspection of Rest Haven Hospital was made last Monday by a large gathering of local residents and visitors from Cordova Bay and Victoria. Groups of interested sightseers were conducted through the different departments of the institution, where the uses of various articles of medical equipment were explained. Later in the afternoon the crowd, seated on the east lawn, enjoyed a specially prepared programme in which doctors, nurses and members of a Victoria home-nursing class took part.

Modern hospital surgery was illustrated by an actual demonstration in a mock appendectomy operation in which six of the members of the staff took part. Another demonstration showed the value of hydrotherapy in the home treatment of a cold. All necessary equipment was used in both procedures.

Prevention of disease was dealt with in short lectures on the benefits of physiotherapy, diet and care of infants. Poison gas, as used in modern warfare, and treatment of one subjected to contact with same, was an interesting topic presented by one of the doctors present.

Rotarians Enjoy Amusing Sketch On Earlier Days

As a change from the usual speaker programmes, members of the Rotary Club at their luncheon meeting in the Empress Hotel yesterday enjoyed a presentation of the amusing sketch, "Crust and Crum," which the Victoria delegates staged as part of the entertainment programme at the recent Rotary district convention in Portland.

A revival of the sketches presented several years ago by Percy Abel and Ernest Down, "Crust and Crum" was a comedy of earlier days in Victoria, the scene being an old-fashioned general store. The script, written by Victor Clarke, contained many topical gags and jokes at the expense of club members and men prominent in public life.

The cast comprised James McGrath, J. H. Beatty, Joseph Adam, Morris Greene, P. B. Scurrah, Colonel H. T. Goodland, Ralph Snider, T. P. McConnell and little Dola Christensen, with the assistance of an hotel porter.

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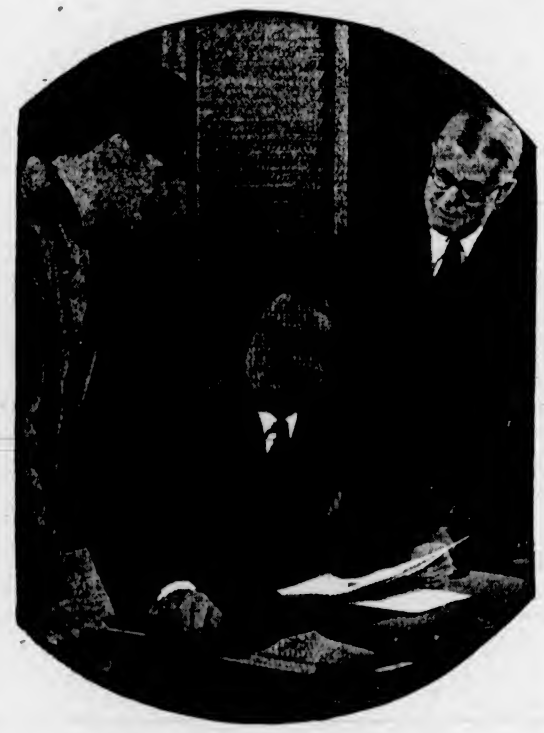

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THREE FULL GAMES AHEAD OF INDIANS; CHICAGO CUBS WIN

Lou Finney Paces Red Sox With Homer and Three Singles—Defeat St. Louis Browns, 7-5—Cubs Nose Out Boston Bees in Lone National League Game—Weather Is Bad

By The Canadian Press

Rain and cold played havoc with the schedules in both National and American Baseball Leagues yesterday with the result that only two games—one in each circuit—were run off.

In the American League fixture Boston Red Sox bombarded Verno Kennedy and Emil Bildilli for five runs on six straight hits in the third inning for a 7-5 decision over the Browns at St. Louis.

The victory boosted the Red Sox' margin over the idle Cleveland Indians to three full games.

Rightfielder Lou Finney opened the big third inning for the Red Sox with a homer. He also collected three singles.

Out-hitting the opposition was unavailing to Boston Bees as they dropped their sixth consecutive game to Chicago Cubs, 5-4, in the senior circuit.

The Bees connected against the veteran Bill Lee for nine blows, including three doubles and Al Lopez' two-run homer in the eighth. But the Cubs bunched their six safeties.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

		R.	H.	E.
Boston	005 000 101	7	14	0
St. Louis	001 210 001	5	12	0

Batteries—Galehouse, Hash and Desautels; Kennedy, Bildilli, Niggerling and Swift, Susce.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	200 000 120	5	6	0
Boston	200 000 020	4	9	2

Batteries—Lee and Hartnett; Sullivan, Piechota and Lopez.

POSTPONEMENTS

National—Pittsburgh at New York (rain), St. Louis at Philadelphia (rain), Cincinnati at Brooklyn (called fourth, rain), four scheduled.

American—Washington at Cleveland (rain), Philadelphia at Detroit (rain), New York at Chicago (cold, wet grounds), four scheduled.

International — Jersey city at Rochester (rain), Newark at Buffalo (cold), Syracuse at Montreal (wet grounds), four scheduled.

American Association — Minneapolis at Milwaukee (cold), Toledo at Louisville (cold), Columbus at Indianapolis (rain, cold), four scheduled.

Pacific Coast League—None, four night.

COAST LEAGUE

SEATTLE, May 16 (CP).—Seattle capitalized on three singles and a couple of "mental fumbles" on the right side of Portland's infield to score three runs in the ninth tonight for a 4-3 victory in their Pacific Coast League baseball game.

	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	8	14	2
Oakland	1	5	3

Batteries—Stine and Hernandes; Mulligan, Johnson and Raimondi.

	R.	H.	E.
Portland	3	4	1
Seattle	4	8	1

Batteries—Hilscher and Annunzio; Barrett and Campbell.

	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	6	12	2
San Diego	5	12	1

Batteries — Freitas, Tobin and Ogrodowski; Hebert and Detore.

	R.	H.	E.
San Francisco	3	6	2
Hollywood	4	7	0

Batteries — Dasso and Sprinz, Botelho; Ardizoia and Dapper.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

TORONTO, May 16 (CP).—Toronto Maple Leafs ended their first home stand today with a 4-1 victory over Baltimore Orioles to take the series 3-1.

	R.	H.	E.
Baltimore 100 000 000	1	8	2
Toronto 002 110 00x	4	8	1

Batteries—Olson, Trinkle, Jones and Kracher; Fischer and Gray.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	R.	H.	E.
St. Paul	1	3	1
Kansas City	5	11	1

Batteries—Himsel and Schlueter; Stanceau and Dephillips.

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL

	R.	H.	E.
Wenatchee	4	6	3
Salem	5	10	2

Batteries—Jacobsen and Volpi; Oliver, Brewer and Bishop.

	R.	H.	E.
Yakima	7	8	6
Tacoma	21	27	2

Batteries—Lien, B. Johnson and Younkers, Evans; Porter and Brenner.

	R.	H.	E.
Spokane	7	12	1
Vancouver	8	10	2

Batteries — Serventi and Lake; Goldman, Osborne and Lloyd.

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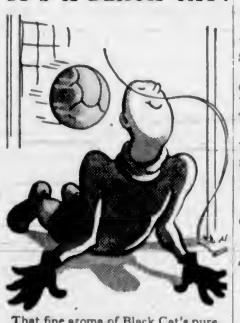

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Sinks Tee Shot At Oak Bay Club

Playing in a friendly fourball match, J. P. Paret, veteran member of the Victoria Golf Club, sank his tee shot at the short second hole, a distance of 150 yards. He was playing with C. L. McLaughlin, Bill Munro and Wallace McMillan at the time.

TROPHY SHOOTS CARDED SUNDAY

Scattergun artists will gather on the Victoria Skeet and Gun Club grounds Sunday for the fourth competitive shoot of the season. The double event will be for the C.I.L. Skeet Shield and the Humber Handicap Trophy for traps.

With prospects of continued fine weather, club officials are anticipating a large turnout. Guns and ammunition will be available at the grounds, and visitors are always welcome.

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BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . . By Ripley

EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

Two Silver Wedding Anniversaries—Mrs. Martin Meyer, of Sibley, Ill., was married to John Martens on August 26, 1878, and celebrated her silver wedding anniversary in 1903. On January 15, 1914, she was married to Martin Meyer, celebrating her second silver wedding anniversary with him in 1939.

Please address all queries to Cartoonist Ripley c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

Brundson's Veterans Come From Behind to Tie Up Ball Fixture

Jack Okell's Circuit Drive in Ninth Inning Knots Score at 2-2 and Forces Extra Frame—Lumbermen Outhit Opponents—Other Scores

Brundson's Veterans, late entry in the senior "A" softball race, are not going to be any push over. They proved that last night in their season's debut at Royal Athletic Park when they battled the Cameron Lumber nine to a 2-2 stalemate in ten innings.

Smartly attired in new uniforms—green shirts and white pants—Brundson's Veterans, most of them young players with the exception of "Look 'em Over" Jack Caddell, their catcher, turned in a creditable performance, and soon battled their way into the hearts of the fans.

But strictly speaking, it was Jack Okell's trusty willow that kept Brundson's in the ball game. The fighting young third sacker poled out three of the five hits they collected from Ono, lumbermen's hurler, and blasted out a circuit drive in the ninth inning to knot the score and force the game into overtime.

After four goose eggs had been posted on the large scoreboard on the Pembroke Street fence, Camerons broke the ice in the third frame by sending Hobby, their third sacker, the distance. Brundson's pushed over the equalizer in the sixth, but the lumbermen came back with another run in the very next stanza.

THINGS LOOKED BAD

Things looked bad for the Veterans in the first of the ninth when Camerons loaded the cushions with only one down. But disaster was averted when Lorne Murray and Lionel Bradley fled out in order.

With a single and double in three trips to the plate, Jack Okell gave the ball game the story book complex in the last of the ninth by poling out a circuit drive to knot the score 2-2. He punched a long hit to deep right field and raced around the cushions with such speed that he crossed the plate standing up. The next three batters grounded out in order to end the inning.

Lumbermen got one runner as far as third in the extra frame, but he died there when Ono, the pitcher, flied out to Second Baseman Milliken.

Brundson's put two runners on the cushions, and then Manager Dal Munroe, going in as a pinch hitter, fanned.

The game was called with one man down and one on third in the first half of the eleventh, with Camerons at bat.

TEN HITS

Lumbermen punched out ten safeties from the offerings of Al Bridgen, former Vancouver hurler, while Brundson's nicked Ono, little Japanese pitcher, for five hits. The former struck out seven, and the latter four.

There were three double killings with Brundson's getting the edge. Archie Emery, covering the initial sack for the Veterans, made the season's first unassisted double play when he took Jimmie Milliken's pop fly and doubled "Hap" Milliken off the initial sack in the seventh frame.

Score by innings: R. H. E.

Cameron Lumber— 001 000 100 0—2	10	1	
Brundson's Veterans— 000 001 001 0—2	5	3	

Batteries—Ono and H. Milliken; Bridgen and Caddell.

AIR FORCE WINS

Playing at Bullen Park, Western Air Command defeated Navy, 12-6, in a "C" section fixture. The Air Force nine took the lead in the opening frame and were never headed.

Score by innings:

Navy	101 004 0— 6
Western A.C.	214 050 0—12

Batteries—Jardine and Carter; Frith and Larkin.

"D" SECTION

Chinese Recreation Club softballers turned back Esquimalt A.A. 4-1, in a "D" section battle at Victoria West, scoring the three winning runs in the last of the eighth frame.

Score by innings:

Esquimalt A.A.	100 000 000—1
C.R.C.	000 100 03x—4

Thirteenth Field Ambulance were awarded a "D" section game at Victoria West with Dustie's Aces, when the latter club continued to vague.

COLWOOD LADIES DEFEAT OAK BAY

Losing only one match and halving another, Colwood's "B" team of lady golfers came through with an 8 1-2 to 1 1-2 victory over Victoria Golf Club, yesterday afternoon on their home course, in an inter-club match.

Results, with the Colwood players first mentioned, follow:

Mrs. R. L. Pocock 1, Mrs. Hepburn 0.

Mrs. G. C. Jones 1, Mrs. H. A. Tomalin 0.

Mrs. W. Irvine 1, Mrs. Stubbs 0.

Mrs. B. H. Anderson 1, Miss V. Smith 0.

Mrs. G. Straith 0, Miss I. Carey 1.

Mrs. A. E. Williams 1, Mrs. C. W. Pangman 0.

Mrs. A. E. Osborough 1-2, Mrs. Howell 1-2.

Mrs. A. Straith 1, Mrs. MacLachlan 0.

Mrs. D. A. Macdonald 1, Miss Short 0.

Mrs. W. H. Wells 1, Miss I. Lennox 0.

To See Action Tonight

HAROLD PRICE

TOM CARNEY

CENTRE and defence star, respectively, of Manager Harry Sargison's league-leading Alert stickhandlers, who will see action tonight at the Victoria Sports Centre, when the transfer men oppose the Jokers in a senior boxla attraction. Setting the pace in the race for the city honors with two straight victories, Alerts will be out for their third triumph when they step on the floor to battle Gus Munroe's Jokers stickhandlers. The fixture will start at 8.30 o'clock, and will be preceded by a junior game between McLean's Bakery and Owl Drug at 7 o'clock. Alerts line-up follows: Gawley, Carney, Harding, Ovcharick, Williams, N. Coates, Pickford, Ferguson, Langdon, Price, Bischlager, McDonald and D. Coates.

CIVIC ARENA CEREMONIES

Hon. A. Wells Gray Officiates at Opening of New Nanaimo Building

NANAIMO, May 16 (CP).—Hon. A. Wells Gray, Minister of Municipalities, officially opened Nanaimo's new $100,000 civic arena last night. In a brief speech to the 3,000 persons who gathered in the structure, the minister said Nanaimo was to be complimented on its "excellent civic spirit."

Others speaking were Hon. W. J. Asselstine, Minister of Mines; Hon. G. S. Pearson, Minister of Labor; Mayor Andrew McGavin, of Victoria; George Darling, president of the Nanaimo Gyro Club; Mayor V. B. Harrison, of Nanaimo, and Lynn Patrick, who plays for the New York Rangers of the National Hockey League.

An informal dance was held after the opening ceremonies.

Don Mills, manager of the arena, acted as master of ceremonies during the evening. He read telegrams from Lieutenant-Governor Eric C. Hamber and Alan Chambers, M.P., who were unable to attend.

May Queen-Elect Peggy Sykes broadcast an invitation to British Columbians to attend Nanaimo's May 24 ceremonies. She outlined the programme which will be run off that day.

SPECIAL PRIZE

The floor received its baptism from the soles of dancing feet as Mr. Mills offered a $5 prize from the Nanaimo Gyro Club for the first couple to use it. Mayor McGavin, entering into the spirit of the event, joined in the rush to the surface.

Prior to the ceremony in the arena, Nanaimo played host to its visitors at an informal dinner in the Malaspina Hotel. Victoria representatives at the function included the Mayor and Mrs. McGavin and their two sons, Alderman and Mrs. J. A. Worthington and Miss E. Cooves, Alderman and Mrs. D. D. McTavish, Alderman and Mrs. W. H. Davies, Alderman and Mrs. S. H. Okell, Alderman B. J. Gadsden, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bridgman and the three Provincial ministers.

Mayors of Duncan, Ladysmith, Port Alberni and Alberni also attended.

CUBS, NAVY WIN BASEBALL GAMES

Former Defeats Brown Bombers, 8-4—Sailors Turn Back Eagles, 3-1

HOW THEY STAND

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Tillicum Cubs	2	2	0	1.000
Eagles	2	1	1	.500
Navy	2	1	1	.500
Cedar Hill	2	1	1	.500
Brown Bombers	2	0	2	.000

Last night's scores:

Navy 3, Eagles 1.

Tillicum Cubs 8, Brown Bombers 4.

Tillicum Cubs moved out in front in the Second Division baseball race last night when they defeated the Brown Bombers, 8-4, at Beacon Hill Park. A bad third inning caused the downfall of the Bombers and placed the Cubs too far ahead to be overtaken.

Navy climbed aboard the winning van at Admirals Road, when they checked in with a surprise 3-1 verdict over the Eagles, last season's champions. Birdmen bagged their lone marker in the opening stanza, and the sailors collected their trio of tallies in the sixth frame.

Score by innings:

Tillicum Cubs	205 10—8
Brown Bombers	010 12—4

Batteries—Prior and Main; D. Hudlin and R. Alexander.

Eagles	100 000 0—1
Navy	000 003 0—3

Batteries — Scroggs and Miles; Lintman and Pico.

BASEBALL STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	16	5	.762
Brooklyn	15	5	.750
New York	12	9	.571
Chicago	13	11	.542
Philadelphia	8	11	.421
St. Louis	8	15	.348
Boston	6	14	.300
Pittsburgh	6	14	.300

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	18	6	.750
Cleveland	14	8	.636
Detroit	12	11	.522
Philadelphia	11	12	.478
Washington	10	13	.435
St. Louis	9	13	.409
Chicago	9	13	.409
New York	7	14	.333

COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
San Diego	26	20	.565
Seattle	22	19	.537
Oakland	25	22	.532
San Francisco	23	22	.511
Hollywood	23	24	.489
Los Angeles	21	23	.477
Sacramento	22	25	.468
Portland	17	24	.415

Twelve Expected To Face Barrier In King's Plate

All But One Horse Fit for Eighty-First Running Of Canadian Classic at Toronto Tomorrow—Dark Comet Is Question Mark—Crowd of 25,000 Spectators Expected at Park

TORONTO, May 16 (CP).—Training for the eighty-first running of the King's Plate ended today with all but one of the expected starting field declared fit and ready for the nine furlongs gallop Saturday.

Entries will be named tomorrow. Experts predicted that not more than twelve would trot to the post for the King's Fifty Guineas and a $7,500 added purse.

Mystery surrounds the condition of the favorite, Dark Comet, owned by G. M. Hendrie, of Hamilton. The Winter book favorite pulled up sore after a workout last Saturday. Unless a turn for the worse develops before post-time the gelding will take his place at the starting gate.

Release of the news regarding Dark Comet threw the big race wide open. The names of Parkwood Stable's Frobisher, Jack McIntyre's Hood and Harry Giddings' Ring Wise were mentioned as possible new favorites.

A crowd of more than 25,000 is expected to cram Woodbine Park for the race that lacks much of the glitter that was present last year when Archworth, owned by George C. McCullagh, scampered to victory while the King and Queen watched from the Royal box.

Poloists to Play For Red Cross on Sunday Afternoon

POLO players from the Duncan, Esquimalt and Victoria Clubs will take part in a special match on Sunday afternoon on the Willows Oval, commencing at 3 o'clock. A collection will be taken up on the grounds, and the proceeds will be turned over to Mrs. C. Bloomfield's dog Victory, who is collecting for the Canadian Red Cross Society. No admission charge will be made at the gate. The best players will be available for the exhibition, and therefore a large crowd is expected to see the teams in action.

TORONTO'S TITLE FIGHT CANCELED

Scheduled Bout Between Georgie Pace and Lou Salica Is Finally Called Off

TORONTO, May 16 (CP).—The world's bantamweight championship boxing bout between Georgie Pace, Cleveland, and Lou Salica, New York, was called off today when Pace's manager, Tom Stanley, declared his boxer had run out on him. The bout was originally slated for May 27 at Toronto.

In announcing cancellation of the fight, Matchmaker Jack Allen said the Ontario Athletic Commission had suspended Pace and the suspension would be effective in all states under the National Boxing Association's jurisdiction.

Stanley gave no reason for the break with the champion.

PHILADELPHIA, May 16 (AP).—Signing of Walter Berger, veteran National League outfielder, was announced today by President Gerald Nugent, of the Phillies. Berger was given his unconditional release by Cincinnati Reds a few days ago.

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Alan Taylor Will Face Jim Squire

Alan Taylor, the lad who won the medal honors, will be gunning for the men's championship of the Victoria Golf Club on Sunday, when he stacks up against Jim Squire in the scheduled thirty-six-hole final at the Oak Bay links. The morning eighteen will commence at 10 o'clock and the afternoon round at 2 o'clock. A big gallery is expected to watch the match, one which will see Squire playing in the final for the first time.

PLANS COMPLETED FOR SPORTS MEET

Central Junior High School's Second Annual Event to Take Place Next Wednesday

The sports committee of the Central Junior High School met yesterday afternoon under the chairmanship of William McMichael, to complete final arrangements for the school's second annual sports day to be held on May 22, at the Royal Athletic Park. The committee reported that the students had displayed keen interest in the proposed list of events, and that when the entry lists closed on Wednesday night, there were more than 675 individual entries for the track, field and novelty events.

The committee further reported that members of the city school board had been invited to attend, and that personal invitations would be sent soon to the parents of all pupils attending the school.

Only one student, Yvonne Simpson, will be out to defend the girls' grand aggregate cup, which she tied for with Daphne Murray in last year's competition. Both Daphne and the winner of the boys' grand aggregate award, Louis McCorkall, are attending Victoria High School this year, and are ineligible to compete.

CARPET BOWLING

The presentation of prizes won in the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling League at the annual tournament recently held at the Forester's Hall, will be made at the Esquimalt Carpet Bowling Club tonight at 8 o'clock.

SARAZEN IN GREAT FORM

Veteran Professional Sharing Golf Lead With Jimmy Thomson

NEW YORK, May 16 (AP).—Gene Sarazen galloped off with the show in the opening round of the Goodall golf tournament at the Fresh Meadow Country Club today.

He came in with a blazing 31, four strokes under par, to post an eighteen-hole score of 70.

Gene's spectacular comeback enabled him to complete the first round of the $5,000 tournament in a tie with Jimmy Thomson, the coast siege gun, each with a score for the day of eight-plus. Clayton Heafner held third place with a score of seven-plus, with the other twelve star professionals in the field trailing with six rounds of match play to go.

Sarazen beat Martin Pose, of the Argentine, and Henry Picard, the P.G.A. champion, each four up—therefore his score of eight-plus. Pose shot a 74 and Picard a 75.

Thomson poled his long drives over the wet grass to post a 72 and finish the first round four up over both Jimmy Demaret, the tournament favorite, and Craig Wood, the perennial runner-up. Demaret posted a 75 and Wood a 76. Demaret goes into tomorrow's second and third rounds dragging a score of minus two behind him.

Heafner occupied third place with his score of seven-plus by shooting a rousing 74 at Horton Smith and Dick Metz. Smith shot 78 and Metz 79.

ADANACS BEAT BURRARDS, 10-9

Canadian Lacrosse Champions Down Vancouver Squad to Take Lead

NEW WESTMINSTER, May 16 (CP).—The Canadian champion New Westminster Adanacs jumped into first place in the Inter-City Box Lacrosse League tonight by edging Vancouver Burrards 10-9 in a closely fought match here tonight.

With less than a minute to play, red-headed Ted Bradbury rammed in the winning goal for the champs that gives them a two-point lead over the "Bombers" from Vancouver.

The two teams were previously tied for the initial spot with two wins each.

Burrards marched into a 3-1 lead in the first quarter and were ahead 6-4 at half time. Adanacs tied up the game in the third quarter as they outscored Vancouver 4-2 and then held the charging Burrards to a lone tally in the final canto.

Jimmy Douglas and Bradbury headed Adanacs snipers, each with three goals, while Burrards markers were evenly distributed.

ARMADALE COURTS OPEN TOMORROW

The grass courts of the Armadale Tennis Club will be officially opened for the season tomorrow afternoon. On Sunday the annual American tournament will be staged, starting at 1:30 and a big entry is expected. All members are asked to turn out for both events. Other information may be secured from the secretary by phoning E 7291.

The first inter-club match on the courts will see the C.P.R. Club playing on June 2. The "B" teams from the clubs will be playing on the same date at the C.P.R. Courts.

NARRAGANSETT RACING

NARRAGANSETT, May 16.—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs
Busy Lutrecia (Bassett) $13.70 $6.90 $6.20
Light Cruiser (Winn) 8.40 6.30
Bright Box (Krositz) 10.40
Time, 1.13. Also ran Isolene, Spandau, Balcony, Mamas Boy, Pruni, Count Ra, Bubblesome, Cycle, Libertys Live.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs
Miss Gallant (Robart) ... $6.30 $3.40 $2.80
Settler (Johnson) 4.60 3.90
Mountain Echo (May) 3.30
Time, 1.13 3-5. Also ran Michigan Flirt, Lou Bright, Sleepy People, Dans Folly, Star of Dendra, Moody, Swing Queen, Hugood, Flying Destiny.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs
Four O Four (Smith) 14.00 12.80 12.30
Cendrillon (Suttle) 9.20 4.40
Mellow Moon (Bassett) 3.10
Time, 1.13 2-5. Also ran Charley Bailey, Three O Three, The Doom, Brigade Jr., Self Starter, High Fair.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Lissom Lad (Taylor) ... 125.70 $12.40 $4.40
Madison (Richard) 4.40 2.50
Wise Decision (Winn) 2.30
Time, 1.11 4-5. Also ran Devils Banner, Kens Revenge, Air Chute, Story Time, Fraidy Cat, Bad Day.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs
Multitude (Taylor) 15.20 $2.80 $2.20
Limitation (Bassett) 2.50 2.20
Pari Ernest (Mearle) 2.20
Time, 1.12. Also ran Translady, One O One.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards
Tetratown (Bassett) 112.30 $5.60 $3.40
Baby Bootiea (Driscoll) 5.00 3.10
Mumble (Suttle) 2.60
Time, 1.46 2-5. Also ran High Arch, Alca, Victory March.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards
Lourdes (Snyder) 119.90 $9.90 $5.60
Redrock Canyon (Prehm) 4.00 3.30
Dinapat (Jacobs) 4.50
Time, 1.45 2-5. Also ran Combahee, Vassar, Dark Beau, Uphold.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards
Sun Kincsen (Berger) 15.90 $3.60 $2.60
David W. (Robart) 19.50 6.10
Prince Splendor (Whinlley) 3.10
Time, 1.45 3-5. Also ran Wahcoo, Flandro, Gay Max, Building Trades, Frins Sun.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs
Crafty Fox 118
Mad De Mie 114
On The Dot 116
Circus Night 109
Eversold 116
James City 116
Saxlen 111
Miss Saucity 109
Rocky Marest 111
Jack In The Box 111
Whisper 116
Consuelo 111
Dark Zem 116
Investment 111
Spanish Dot 114
Old Dominion 116
County Bend 114
Strange Times 106

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs
Hasty Wire 116
Miss De Mie 108
Grand Day 116
Nipantuck 116
Mattapno 106
Macey Margaret 104
Flonhead 114
Hittie 111
Calling 109
Pot r iar 113
Sir Quest 116
Stepaeola 109
Jocky Betsy 103
Bonnie Buzz 116
Grandpas Boy 116
Wesgot 111
Miss Dolly Kay 106
White Topper 114

THIRD RACE—Four and one-half furlongs
Lens Jimmie 116
Meritorious 116
Hatfield Boy 116
Royal Marlboro 116
Scatter Drops 116
Arestino 116
Spanish Oak 116
Bull Brier 116
Harves 118

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Short Measure 105
Wood Blaze 107
Gamester 118
Moon Robber 115
Peanut Lady 113
Michigan Ace 112
Lone Lass 107
Buzz Me 102

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs
(A) Court Dance 106
Leading Article 118
Forever Prince 116
Donna Leona 106
Friendly Pal 106
At Prairie Dog 113
Star of Padula 106

SIXTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards
Proud Lass 110
Michilinda 105
White Hope 110
Port of Call 113
Nut Crystal 105
Moody 113
Teche Lad 100
Miss Mogul 113
Gigi 113
Louis Shapiro 111

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth
Scarlet O. 108
Dulcimer 111
San Antioca 111
Bow And Arrow 116
Old Maid 106
Bachelors Bower 118
Panalonz 116
Hallie 104
Inactive 108
Sun Antioch 113
Jot Em Down 116
Agnes Knight 106
Weary Flower 103

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Indiana Spa 116
Goldfin 111
Mexico City 116
Paddys Sister 106
Discourse 111
Sue Harpen 111
Bright Gem 111
Bilboquet 108
Bus Plunger 103
Moralist 111
Stipulate 116
Maraconna 116
Genaibi 106
Sun Breeze 109
Bruneta 106
Sandwrack 116
First post, 10.15 a.m.
Weather clear, track fast.

At the Theatres

ALL-IRISH CAST AT THE DOMINION

Priscilla Lane Heads Cast in One Of Hollywood's Funniest Comedy Pictures

Beginning today the Dominion Theatre presents one of the funniest comedies to come out of Hollywood. In "Three Cheers for the Irish," Warner Bros. has assembled a cast 100 per cent Irish, headed by Priscilla Lane, Dennis Morgan, Alan Hale and Thomas Mitchell.

With the story taking place in New York City, Mitchell plays the role of a member of New York's Police Department. Forced to resign from the force because of his age, Mitchell's three daughters decide that he should run for alderman. The daughters, played by Priscilla Lane, Irene Hervey and Virginia Grey, all pitch in and work their heads off to get their father elected, and after overcoming many obstacles they succeed.

ATLAS THEATRE An entirely new trick of animation has been developed for the character of Monstro, the whale, who appears in "Pinocchio," Walt Disney's second feature-length production, now showing at the Atlas Theatre. As Monstro slips through the water, one sees the muscles ripple under his dark skin, although one will be conscious of no definite outlines.

CAPITOL THEATRE The background of the film, "Virginia City," now showing at the Capitol Theatre, is a page out of America's most gripping historical era, the West during the Civil War. The setting is the colorful, lawless "mushroom" mining town, Virginia City, during its rowdiest days. Errol Flynn and Miriam Hopkins play the leading roles, supported by a seasoned cast, including such players as Alan Hale, Frank McHugh and John Litel.

CADET THEATRE One hundred and eight pounds of battling movie mites recently gave Billy Gilbert more trouble than the 235-pound screen comedian ever had as a boxing "white hope." The Gilbert hecklers were eight-year-old Billy Lenhart and Kenneth Brown, seven, who appear as his sons in "The Under-Pup," now showing at the Cadet Theatre.

OAK BAY THEATRE Sigrid Gurie sings three songs in Universal's "Rio," now showing at the Oak Bay Theatre. The numbers are "Love Opened My Eyes," with music by Jimmy McHugh and lyrics by Ralph Freed; "Heart of Mine," for which Frank Skinner wrote the music and Freed the words, and "After the Rain," by Freed and Skinner.

PLAZA THEATRE Mix-ups, misunderstandings and pure fun predominate in "So This Is London," the new 20th Century-Fox release, starring the famous British comics, Robertson Hare and Alfred Drayton, with George Sanders. It is now showing at the Plaza Theatre.

RIO THEATRE An exciting story of cattle rustling in the Old West is told in "Bullet Code." George O'Brien's latest RKO Radio vehicle, now showing at the Rio Theatre. Laid along the Mexican border, the story presents the famous outdoor star as a young rancher who finds himself involved in a mysterious struggle for possession of a border property.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas—"Pinocchio," Walt Disney production in Technicolor.

Cadet — "The Under-Pup," with Gloria Jean.

Capitol—Errol Flynn in "Virginia City."

Dominion—"Three Cheers for the Irish," with Priscilla Lane.

Oak Bay—Victor McLaglen in "Rio."

Plaza—"So This Is London," with Robertson Hare.

Rio—George O'Brien in "Bullet Code."

Will Play in Cup Match

GLEN ROBBINS (Victoria United)

GEORGE LEGGETT (Victoria City)

WELL-KNOWN local footballers, who will be seen in action in tomorrow's Province Cup match at Macdonald Park. Glen Robbins holds down the centre-half position for Victoria's Pacific Coast League entry, and George Leggett plays fullback for Victoria City. United and City will be battling for the right to advance to the competition proper along with Mainland elevens. Victoria City will be at full strength, but the Coast League team will be minus the services of Gordon Bell, their star right winger, still on the sidelines as the result of injuries. The kick-off is set for 3 o'clock. Line-ups follow:

Victoria City—Stewardson, Fieldhouse, Leggett, Bradley, W. Robbins, Robinson, Lorandini, Holness, Condon, Barber, Booth, Statford, Brookman, Polliano, Ganderton and Wallace.

Victoria United—Moss, Wilkinson, R. Bell, Reside, Sage, G. Robbins, Barnes, Hope, C. Robbins, Worswick, Morgan and Cosier. City players are asked to be at Macdonald Park not later than 2.30 o'clock.

Utility Infielder For Athletics

RAYMOND GEORGE

UTILITY infielder, who will probably see action at second base this evening, when Tillicum Athletics oppose the Navy in a McGavin Cup baseball game at Royal Athletic Park. George covered the keystone bag on Wednesday evening and turned in a good performance. Sonny Walker, pitcher and first-sacker, will go to the hillock for the clubbers, and Axel Kinnear will be shifted to the initial cushion. Vreeland, young sailor pitcher, will probably be Manager Charlie McDonald's choice for the heavy work. Grover, hustling catcher, will complete the battery. Sailors are in the cellar, just a notch behind the clubbers, and can evacuate the uncovered position with a victory tonight. Eagles and Pitzer & Nex, first and second clubs, respectively, will battle tomorrow. Games start at 6 o'clock.

BELMONT RACING

BELMONT, May 16.—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Four and one-half furlongs
Gayle F. (F. Smith) $12.80 $8.70 $4.80
Sunnington (Peters) 7.90 4.80
Peace Day (Meade) 2.20
Time, 53. Also ran Our Grace, French Horn, Matab, Button Bush, I'm the Guy, Possibility, Maevic, Croissant, Nutmeg Lass.

SECOND RACE—One mile
Eldee (Paradise) $11.00 $3.40 $3.60
City Judge (F. A. Smith) 3.80 3.00
Cody (Schmidl) 3.80
Time, 1.39 1-5. Also ran Howelville, Good Flavor, Money Muddle.

THIRD RACE—Four and one-half furlongs
*Red Welt (Peters) ... $6.70 $7.60 $4.90
*Ruekelle (F. Smith) 3.90 4.40 2.60
Right as Rain (Lemmons) 6.00
*Dead heat for winner. Time, 1.54. Also ran Lady Haste, Hool Heart, Meadow Court, Aarartus, We Ze Piesey, South Anna, Gallant Wind.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Dipsy Doodle (Meade) $4.80 $3.90 $2.60
Straw Hat (Anderson) 12.40 6.00
Dodger (Durando) 3.20
Time, 1.12 1-5. Also ran Binder, Ballast Reef, Ceiling Zero, Phoebus, Kingfisher, Race Rider, Cherry Trille.

FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs
Torchlight (Decamillas) $7.30 $2.80 $2.30
Lady Maryland (Clarlton) 2.80 2.10
Hasty Wedding (Nash) 2.60
Time, 1.20. Also ran War Regalia, Toddie On.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Glad Eve (Schmidl) $4.20 $2.70 $2.20
Dark Level (James) 3.10 2.30
Attracting (Adair) 2.70
Time, 1.45. Also ran Chin Music, Tony Pandy.

SEVENTH RACE—Seven furlongs
Court Counsel (Robertson) $7.10 $4.50 $3.20
Michigan Flyer (Durando) 6.70 3.80
Sniane (Fels) 4.90
Time, 1.2[illegible]. Also ran Gallant Neb, Microphobia, Radio Gold, Tony Steel, Fire Marshall, Brown Twig.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—About two miles, steeplechase
Carter Moore 152
Encore 142
Chuckatuck 147
Bucheur 154
Wisekonite 142
Blanket 142
Brother Jones 135
(C) Naruna 147
(C) Constructor 134
(D) Frivolous Girl 137
(D) Cherry Jam 142

SECOND RACE—Seven furlongs
Wayward Knight 116
The Miamian 120
Dusky Girl 111
Pennsburg 125
Plot 113
Irish Lark 105
Sun Fox 116
Medred 105
Bright Sonian 115
Weone Port 116
Scarlet Flame 10[illegible]
Quaker Brass 105
Destanation 105
Princely Gift 113
Bold as Brass 118
Brazen Hussy 105
Eenie Meenie 108
Equitation 110
Supreme Chance 116
Arans 110

THIRD RACE—Four and one-half furlongs
War Bear 116
(F) Iron Maze 116
Silver Rocket 116
Kenansville 116
Sunbright II 116
Ebro 116
Middle Aisle 116
(F) Chantos 116
(G) Big Stakes 116
Lewistown 116
Copperman 116
Harvard Square 116
Maezaca 116
Exit March 116

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Time Shot 113
Ranchos Girl 97
Supreme Speed 113
Indomitable 115
Red Meadow 105
Woodberry 115
Wood Chopper 106
Highomar 119
Cee Joe 119
Moon Folly 118
Pagnie 115
Postage Due 124
Showum 105
Forlend 108

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs
Cacodemon 114
Black Look 114
Purcellville 107
(H) Johns Heir 112
Early Delivery 114
Bel Farnsworth 120
Wise Bee 113
Great Albert 101
Wise Barrister 114
(H) Chalmac 112
Birch Rod 112
Equistar 107
Skin Deep 104

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Stage Fright 117
Foxflame 108
(I) Lotina Lad 110
Battle Line 113
Regent 113
Maestro Bascha 120
Century Note 120
Romanov 112
Zarin 120
(I) Pistol Pete 113

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Short Distance 108
Scrooge 116
Broad Vision 109
Creepy Mouse 100
Lottery 107
Sweepstall 114

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth
Compass Hall 113
Knightfors 101
Lady Bethsl 113
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(J) Flaming 117
Count Petrarch 113
(J) Shanai 114
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JOE DiMAGGIO DENIES CHARGE

Yankee Outfielder Before Commissioner Landis—Gould Involved

CHICAGO, May 16 (AP).—Baseball's No. 1 star, Joe DiMaggio, of the championship New York Yankees, went before Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis today and denied as "completely untrue" reports that he is paying a percentage of his annual $25,000 salary to Joe Gould New York prize fight manager.

"I spent only a short time with the commissioner and there is nothing to say except that he did ask about the Gould report, which I denied as completely untrue," said the Yankee outfielder, who was accompanied to the Landis office by the New York manager, Joe McCarthy.

Commissioner Landis also had "nothing to say" about the case which came about by reports DiMaggio is paying Gould 12 per cent of his baseball salary and that Gould is passing on 2 per cent to Jimmy Braddock, former world's heavyweight champion and a Gould associate.

McCarthy, however, called newsmen together and said Landis asked DiMaggio bluntly whether he is giving Gould any of his Yankee salary. When DiMaggio said he is not, McCarthy reported, Landis indicated the case was closed.

The DiMaggio-Gould case first came up in 1938, when Gould reportedly was advising DiMaggio on a holdout which lasted until April 20, when Joe signed for $25,000 after asking $40,000. At that time DiMaggio and Gould both told Yankee officials there was nothing to reports they were financially associated.

MIXED GOLF EVENT

On Friday, May 24, an eighteen-hole mixed fourball tournament will be held at the Victoria Golf Club. Half the combined handicaps will be allowed. Competitors will select their partners and arrange for opponents and starting times. Post entries will be accepted.

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President Gives Market a Boost On Wall Street

NEW YORK, May 16 (AP)—Traders rushed to buy in the stock market today in swift response to President Roosevelt's billion-dollar armament programme.

With the President's emphasis on a 50,000 plane capacity for the United States industry, aircrafts were favorites in the late afternoon buying splurge. Steels, likewise classed as "war babies," were close seconds.

The turn came with dramatic suddenness as the President began to speak. Prices rose, settled back as Wall Street heard him out, then kited for gains of 1 to 6 or more points in the armament issues. The ticker chattered along several minutes behind the market.

Some of the wide gainers included Douglas Aircraft, North American Aviation, Glenn Martin, Bethlehem Steel, American Telephone, U.S. Steel, United Aircraft, Sperry, Lockheed, Boeing, Curtiss-Wright, Republic Steel, Youngstown Sheet, Johns-Manville, Air Reduction, Western Union, Anaconda, American Smelting, Goodyear, Chrysler, Loft, Allied Chemical, Dow Chemical, Eastman and Du Pont.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks rose 5 of a point at 43.3. Yesterday the average was the lowest since April, 1939.

Turnover was 2,355,180 shares, compared with 3,771,700 on Wednesday. Nearly 900,000 shares changed hands in the final hour.

Some foreign dollar bonds went down to new lows today, but others carried moderate gains. Corporates generally were ahead fractions to 2 or more. U.S. Governments ended 16-32 higher to 12-32 down.

Belgium bonds slid 3 to 9. Bonds of Italy, Canada and Australia were hit to the extent of 1 to 3. Improved were loans of Copenhagen, Denmark, Japan, Finland and Buenos Aires.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty industrials, 131.06, up 1.98.
Twenty rails, 26.20, up .31.
Fifteen utilities, 20.38, up .13.
Forty bonds, 85.36, up .21.
Total sales, 2,350,000.

Granby Copper	6 2	6 3
Great Northern	22 3	22 4
Great West Sugar	23 1	23 4
Houston Oil	4 5	4 6
Howe Sound	36	37
Hudson Motors	4 [illegible]	5
Inspiration Copper	11 2	11 4
Int Harvester	50 4	51 4
Int Nickel	24	24 2
Ind Rayon	20 2	20 3
Int. Tel	2 3	2 4
Ill. Central	7	7 6
John Manville	[illegible] 4	58
Kresge	22 2	22 4
Kennecott Copper	32	32 2
Lambert Co	13 6	14
L. & M. Tobacco	99	99 6
Ludlum Steel	20 1	20 4
Loews	27	27 6
Lorillard	20	20 4
Matheson Alkali	24	25
Mexican Seaboard	14 2	15
Montgomery Ward	39 7	40
Nash Kelvinator	4 2	4 4
National Biscuit	20 2	20 5
Nat Dairy	14 3	14 6
National Distilleries	21	21 2
National Power & Lite	6 5	6 6
New York Central	12 3	12 4
North American Co	18 4	18 6
North American Aviation	22 3	22 5
Northern Pacific	6	6 [illegible]
Ohio Oil	6 7	7
Owens Ill Glass	53 2	54 6
Pacific Gas & Electric	28 5	29
Packard	3	3 1
Paramount Pictures	[illegible] 4	5 6
Penn Railway	17 7	18
People's Gas	29 6	31
Phillips Pete	33 4	34
Pullman	21	21 4
Pure Oil	8 6	9
Radio	5 2	5 3
Republic Iron Steel	18 6	18 7
Reynolds Tobacco	37 1	38 3
Safeway Stores	39 6	40
Schenley	9 7	10
Sears Roebuck	69	70
Sharon Steel	11	11 4
Shell Union	8 6	9 4
Socony Vacuum	9 2	9 4
Southern Rly	11 2	11 4
Southern Pacific	9 2	9 3
Sperry Corpn	41 2	42 4
Standard Brands	5 7	6
Standard Gas	1 2	1 4
Standard Oil Cal	20 2	21
Standard Oil N J	37 6	37 7
Stewart Warner	5 6	6
Studebaker	7 1	7 2
Texas Corp.	40 6	41
Texas Gulf	30	30 4
Timken	39 4	39 6
Trans American	5	5 1
Twentieth Century Fox	6 5	6 7
Union Carbide	72 4	73
Union Oil, Cal.	14	14 3
Union Pacific	83	84
United Aircraft	50 3	50 5
United Airlines	15 7	16
United Corp	1 6	1 7
United Gas & Imp.	11 1	11 3
U S Pipe & Foundry	26 6	27
U S Indus Alcohol	20	21
U S Rubber	22	23
U S Rubber pfd.	84 2	85
U S Smelting	[illegible]	53
U S Steel	53 5	53 6
Vanadium	37 4	38
Warner Bros	2 2	3
Westinghouse Air Brake	20 6	21
Westinghouse Electric	94 4	96 4
Western Union	17 6	18
White Motor	10	10 6
Woolworth	34	34 4
Youngstown S & T	[illegible]	28
Zenith Radio	10 3	10 7

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eights)

	Bid	Asked
Air Reduction	43 4	44
Allied Chemicals	159	162
Allis Chalmers	29 5	30
Allied Stores	6	6 [illegible]
American Can	101	101 4
American Celanese	26 4	26 7
American Locomotive	14	14 [illegible]
American P & L	2 5	2 7
American Radiator	6 1	6 2
American Rolling Mills	1 4	13
American Smelter	41 2	43
American Tel & Tel	157 [illegible]	157 7
American Tobacco	78 2	78 6
American Waterworks	7 5	7 7
Anaconda Copper	[illegible] 4	[illegible] 6
Atchison Railway	[illegible]	[illegible] 6
Atlantic Refining	22 6	23
B & O Railway	[illegible] 4	[illegible] 5
Baldwin Locomotive	17 6	17 7
Bendix Aviation	32 4	33
Bethlehem Steel	81 6	81 2
Boeing	23	[illegible] 1
Borden	18 7	19
Borg Warner	17 4	18
Briggs	17 4	18
Canada Dry	15 7	16 2
C P R	3 5	3 7
Caterpillar Trac	45	48
Case (J.I.)	[illegible]	[illegible] 7
Cerro de Pasco	32	[illegible]
C & O Railway	34 1	34 4
Chrysler	69 2	69 4
Columbia Gas	[illegible]	[illegible]
Commercial Credit	35 [illegible]	35 6
Commercial Solvent	10 3	10 4
Commonwealth & So	1	1 1
Congoleum	17 2	17 4
Con Edison	27 1	27 2
Cont Can	37 4	38 2
Cons Aircraft	20 7	21
Cons Oil	6 6	6 7
Crown Zellerbach	16	18 2
Crucible Steel	35	35 4
Curtiss Wright	10 [illegible]	10 6
Curtiss Wright A	27 3	28 2
Deere & Co	17 7	18 2
Douglas Aircraft	89	89 4
Dupont	168	169 6
Eastman Kodak	142 2	14[illegible]
El Auto Lite	33 2	34
El Power & Lite	3 7	4
Fairbanks Morse	35 4	[illegible] 4
Freeport Texas	30 2	30 6
General Foods	41 4	42
Gen Electric	41 4	43
Gen Electric	33	33 2
General Motors	44 3	44 6
Goodyear	18 4	17

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 16—Quotations in cents.

Official Canadian Control Board rates for United States dollars. Buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discount on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

Canadian dollars in New York open market 19 per cent discount, or 81.00 United States cents.

Finland 2.00.
France 1.84⅛.
Germany 40.00.
Greece .63.
Hungary 17.65.
Italy 5.05.
Portugal 3.25.
Rumania .52.
Sweden 23.80.
Switzerland 21.40.
Yugoslavia 2.35.
Argentina Official 29.77, free 23.00.
Brazil Official 6.05, free 5.10.
Mexico 16.85.
Japan 23.48.
Hongkong 20.19.
Shanghai 5.45.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 16—Quotations in dollars: Demand 3.25, cables 3.26, sixty-day bills 3.22, ninety-day bills 3.21.

(Rates in spot cables, unless otherwise indicated.)

WHEAT BACK AT UNCHANGED LEVEL

WINNIPEG, May 16 (CP)—Buyers took command during the last few minutes of today's session on Winnipeg Grain Exchange and futures prices finished at almost unchanged levels after recording wide losses.

Final quotations were unchanged to 1-2 cent higher, with May wheat at 74 7-8, July 76 1-8 and October 78 5-8 cents a bushel. Good buying prompted by an export business estimated at 5,000,000 bushels brought gains of more than a cent, but these advances were erased when traders drove prices as much as 8 cents below the previous close.

Broad gains at Chicago, however, together with more encouraging reports from Europe, soon coaxed purchasers into the pit and values recovered.

Chicago scored gains ranging from 3 to 4 1-2 cents, while Argentina quotations were more than 3 cents higher.

Oats gained 1-2 to 1 1-2 cents and barley 2 3-4 to 3 1-2 cents a bushel.

Flax prices, however, again suffered 10-cent daily limit losses, while rye was off 1 1-4 cents.

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat	P C	Open	High	Low	Close
May	74	71	75	67	74
July	75	76	7[illegible]	68	78
Oct.	78	76	[illegible]	70	78
Barley					
May	38	40	41	35	41
July	38	39	41	39	41
Oct.	38	40	41	39	41
Oats					
May	31	32	34	32	34
July	31	30	32	30	32
Oct.	29	30	31	29	31
Rye					
May			56	54	50	54
July			5[illegible]	[illegible]	49	[illegible]
Oct.			55	56	49	54

Cash Grain

Wheat	
1 Northern	74
2 Northern	72
3 Northern	69
Track	74
Oats	
2 C W	34
Track	33
Barley	
2 C W	39
Track	41
Rye	
1 C W	54
Track	54

CHICAGO GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat	P C	Open	High	Low	Close
May	8[illegible]	87	90	84	90
July	8[illegible]	87	9[illegible]	83	89
Sept	86	88	8[illegible]	8[illegible]	89
Corn					
May		62	64	6[illegible]	64
July		62	61	[illegible]	64
Sept		62	64	62	65
Oats					
May		37	39	37	37
July		34	35	33	35
Sept		32	33	31	32
Rye					
May		51	50	47	50
July		52	53	48	50
Sept		50	5[illegible]	50	53

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom of Can	1941	3	[illegible]	10[illegible]
	1943	3	109 125	110 125
	1944	4	109 00	110 00
	1945	4	10[illegible]	106 [illegible]
	1946	4	110 00	111 00
	1949	3	101 25	102 25
	1949	3	101 75	102 75
	1951	3½	99 [illegible]	103 75
	[illegible]	[illegible]	10[illegible]	106 125
	1956	3	96 [illegible]	97 625
	1958	3	96 [illegible]	98 875
	1958	4	108 00	109 00
	1959	4	108 [illegible]	103 75
	1966	3½	98 [illegible]	98 625
	Perp	3	97 75	98 875
	1952	3½	99 [illegible]	100 25

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			Bid	Asked
Grand Trunk	1962	3	96 00	96 50
	1952	4	[illegible] 75	107 75
Can Nat Rly	1944	3	10[illegible]	104 25
	1950	3	9[illegible]	9[illegible]
	1953	3	96 50	98 00
	1959	3	91 [illegible]	94 00
	1961	4	[illegible] 75	113 25
	1967	4	112 75	114 [illegible]
	1955	4½	114 75	116 25
	1954	5	11[illegible]	11[illegible] 25
July	1969	5	11[illegible]	114 25
Oct.	1969	5	116 75	118 25

Foreign Bonds

Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.

	Bid	Asked
Australia 4½ 1956	38 50	52 50
Bolivia 7 1958	3 25	4 25
Chile 6 1961	13 25	14 25
Colombia 6 1961	[illegible]	2[illegible]
Germany 4½ 1965	11 [illegible]	[illegible]
Italy 7 1951	41 [illegible]	4[illegible]
Japan 6½ 1954	79 50	8[illegible] 50
Peru 6 1961	7 [illegible]	[illegible]
Sydney 5½ 1955	[illegible]	57 50
United Kingdom 4 1990	6[illegible]	[illegible]

Above prices in New York

BANK CLEARINGS

Victoria bank clearings for the week ended May 16 totaled $1,754,582; for the corresponding week last year $1,736,204.

TORONTO PRICES PUSHED UPWARD

TORONTO, May 16 (CP).—Prices pushed higher this afternoon on Toronto Exchange, apparently stimulated by President Roosevelt's move to speed up the building of airplanes.

The inference drawn by the market was that Mr. Roosevelt's speech was a call for aid for the Allies.

National Steel Car advanced 4 to 50, and other gainers of 2 or more included Bell Telephone and Massey-Harris Pfd. Point gains were netted by Abitibi Pfd., Canada Steamships Pfd., Canadian Car Pfd., Celanese, Dominion Steel "B," and Page-Hersey.

Senior oils posted gains of 1-4 to 5-8 and gains up to 1-2 appeared for C.P.R., Ford "A" Distillers-Seagrams and Walkers common.

Gains of 8 to 15 showed for Central Patricia, Buffalo-Ankerite, Coniaurum, Kerr-Addison, Little Long Lac, Malartic Gold Fields, O'Brien, Preston, San Antonio and Teck-Hughes. The close was up 20 to 30 for Bralorne and East Malartic.

International Nickel adanced 1 1-2 to 32 1-2 and Noranda, Hudson Bay and Smelters closed 3-4 up. Steep Rock closed at 1.75, up 24. Waite-Amulet and Ventures advanced 35.

Home Oil traded 11,600 shares and closed 25 cents up at 1.70. Calgary & Edmonton advanced 30 cents to 1.60 on lighter volume, while Okalta and Foothills added 13 and 10 cents, respectively, and gains of 6 cents were netted by Anglo-Canadian and Calmont. Royalite, selling ex-dividend, closed unchanged at 22.

MINING SECTION
(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	04	05½
[illegible]	12	22
Aldermac	.19	22
Bagamac	.05	11
Bankfield		13
Base Metals	.16	19
Beattie	.92	1 00
Big Missouri	.08	.09½
Bobjo	.05	08
Bralorne	8 75	9 00
Buffalo Ankerite	4 00	4 50
C & F Corbn	1 55	1 60
Canadian Malartic	.50	.55
Central Patricia	2 02	2 05
Chemical Research	.16	
Dome	20 00	20 75
Eldorado	.51	.55
Falconbridge	3 05	2 10
God's Lake	.32	.33
Gunnar	.40	.41
Hard Rock	.77	.84
Hollinger	11 75	11 87½
Home Oil	1 69	1 72
Howey	.29	.31
Hudson Bay M & S	24	
Intl Nickel	31 50	33 00
Kirkland Lake	.98	1 00
Lake Shore	20 75	21 75
Leitch Gold	.56	
Little Long Lac	2 35	2 40
McIntyre	41 00	41 50
McKenzie Red Lake	1 07	1 10
McLeod Cockshutt	1 55	1 60
McWatters	.30	.32
Mining Corpn	.68	.82
Moneta	.58	.60
Morris Kirkland	.06	.06½
Nipissing	1 05	1 20
Noranda	59 50	60 00
O'Brien	.80	.90
Powell Rouyn	1 68	1 69
Paymaster	.27	.28
Pend Oreille	1 40	1 45
Perron Gold	1 49	1 50
Pioneer	2 20	2 25
Premier	.97	1 00
Reno	.21	.26
Royalite Oil	21 00	
San Antonio	1 95	2 00
Sherritt-Gordon	.73	.78
Siscoe	.73	.74
Sladen Malartic	.35	.39
Sudbury Basin	1 [illegible]	1 45
Sullivan	.63	.70
Sylvanite	2 51	
Uchi Lake	.42	.43
Waite Amulet	4 45	4 50
Wright-Hargreaves	6 15	6 20
Macassa	3 15	3 25

INDUSTRIAL SECTION
(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	158	162
Brazilian Traction	6	6½
B A Oil	19½	20
B C Power A	25	26
B C Power B	2	
Building Products	15	15½
Burlington Steel	8	13½
Canada Cement	4½	
Canadian Malting	33	36
Can Car & Foundry	8	9½
Can Industrial Alcohol A	2	
Canadian Pacific	5	5½
Cockshutt Plow	5	6
Distillers-Seagrams	23½	
Ford of Canada	16½	18
Gat. Can Pow. Com	[illegible]	
Gatineau Power Pfd		95
General Steelwares	6	6½
Gypsum	3	3½
Hamilton Bridge	4	
Hiram Walker Com	35	36
Imperial Oil	12½	
Imperial Tobacco	14	14½
Intl Nickel	31	32½
Intl Petroleum	20½	
Lake of the Woods	19	
Laura Secord	11	
Massey Harris, Com		4
McColl Frontenac Com	6	
Montreal Power	27	28
National Breweries	31	
National Steel Car	70	
Page Hersey	100	
Power Corpn	7	7½
Shawinigan	17	18
Steel of Canada, Com	70	
Steel of Canada, Pfd	69	70
Banks		
Canadian Bank of Commerce	160	165
Bank of Montreal	190	200
Bank of Nova Scotia		300
Royal Bank	160	170

New York Curb

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amer Super-Power	0	0
Amer Gas & Electric A	2[illegible]	30
Amer Gas & Electric A	0	0
Amer Cyanamid B	[illegible]	34
Aluminum Co. of America	1[illegible]	162
Arkansas Natural Gas Pfd	6	7
Amer Light & Power	1[illegible]	1[illegible]
E W Bliss Corp	1[illegible]	17
Bunker Hill & Sullivan	1[illegible]	1[illegible]
B A Tobacco, Ordinary	[illegible]	13
Creole Pete	1[illegible]	19
Cities Service	5	[illegible]
Electric Bond & Share	4	5
Ford of England, Ltd	1	[illegible]
Humble Oil Co	[illegible]	55
Hygrade Food Products	1	[illegible]
Imperial Oil Can (Coupon)	8	8
Lonestar Gas Co	[illegible]	9
Newmont Mining	60	62
Niagara Hudson Power	4	4
Premier Gold	0 1 16	0
Standard Oil of Kentucky	1[illegible]	1[illegible]
St Regis Paper Co.	2	3
United Gas Co.	1	[illegible]
Republic Aircraft	5	3

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5 1953	[illegible] 50	[illegible] 50
B.C. Pulp 6 1950	88.50	90.30
Brown Co. 1946	50 50	[illegible] 00
Calgary Power 5 1960		106 50
Canada Cement 4½ 1951	102 50	
Canada Steamship 5 1957	9[illegible] 50	9[illegible] 50
C P R 3 1945	88 50	9[illegible] 50
C P R 3 1951	85 00	87 50
Dominion Tar 4 1951	102 00	104 50
Famous Players 4 1951		101 00
Gatineau Power 5 1949	100.00	102 50
Maple Leaf 3 1958	73.50	78.50
Massey Harris 4 1954	89 50	92 50
McColl-Frontenac 4 1949		101 00
Shawinigan 4 1981	99 00	100 50
Simpson's Ltd. 4 1951	97 50	102 00
United Grain Grwrs 5 1948	9[illegible] 50	99 50

Metal Markets

LONDON, May 16 (AP)—Tin, firm; spot, £265 5s bid, £265 15s asked; future, £263 bid, £263 10s asked.

NEW YORK, May 16 (AP).—Copper steady; electrolytic, spot, Conn. Valley, 11.37 1-2 to 11.50; export, f.a.s. New York, 11.25. Tin, steadier; spot and nearby, 52.75; forward, 51.00. Lead, steady; spot, New York, 5.00 to 5.05; East St. Louis, 4.85. Zinc, steady; East St. Louis, spot and forward, 5.75. Quicksilver, 180.00 to 182.00.

MONTREAL, May 16 (CP).—Spot: Copper, electrolytic, 12.75; tin, 63.75; lead, 5.50; zinc, 5.65; antimony, 15.25 per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal, five-ton lots.

Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4½ 1953	55.50	61.50
Alberta 5 1955	59.50	65.00
British Columbia 4 19[illegible]	97.00	100.00
British Columbia 4 1953	100.50	103.50
British Columbia 5 1953	102.00	105.00
Manitoba 4½ 1960	[illegible]	94.50
Manitoba 5 1958	99.00	101.50
New Brunswick 4 1961	98.00	100.50
Nova Scotia 4½ 1952	104.00	106.50
Ontario 4 1950	107.50	109.50
Quebec 4 1958	101.00	103.50
Saskatchewan 4 1951	84.00	87.00
Saskatchewan 5 1952	80.50	83.50
Saskatchewan 6 1952	84.50	87.50

EGG MARKET

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Produce Inspection Service, Victoria, E 8622.

Grade "A" large	.17
Grade "A" medium	.15
Grade "A" pullet	.13
Following are city wholesale:	
Grade "A" large	.21
Grade "A" medium	.19
Grade "A" pullet	.17

BAR GOLD

MONTREAL, May 16 (CP). — Bar gold in London was unchanged at $37.54 an ounce in Canadian funds; 168s in British funds, representing the Bank of England's buying price. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $38.50 in Canadian funds.

Vancouver Exchange Fairly Active With Substantial Advance

VANCOUVER, May 16 (CP). — Gains of fractions to 55 cents appeared during fairly active trading on Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Transactions totaled 45,240 shares.

Bralorne Gold climbed 55 cents to 9.25 and Pioneer gained 20 to 2.25. Cariboo Gold Quartz was up 17 to 2.35 and Privateer at 55 and Sheep Creek at 1.00 each rose 2. Premier at 1.00 firmed a cent.

Home was the most active among the oils with a turnover of 6,200 shares and climbed 29 cents to 1.75. Calgary & Edmonton gained 21 at 1.53 and Okalta was up 17 to 93. Royalite was up 90 to 22.00 and Anglo-Canadian rose 8 cents to 70.

Whitewater, the lone base metal trader, gained a fraction to close at 1 1-2.

VANCOUVER QUOTATIONS
(Boorman Investment Co., Ltd.)

Mines

	Bid	Asked
Big Missouri	.08	.09
Bralorne	9.05	9.25
Bridge River Consolidated		.01
Cariboo Gold	2.30	2.40
Dentonia		.01½
Fairview Amalgamated	.01	
Golconda	.04	.05
Gold Belt	.22	.25
Grandview	.12½	.14
Grull Wihksne		.03½
Hedley Mascot	.35	.40
Island Mountain	.82	1.00
Kootenay Belle	.47	.50
McGillivary Creek	.24	
Minto	.02	.02
Nicola	.02	.03
Pend Oreille	1.40	1.50
Pioneer	2.21	2.30
Premier	.98	1.02
Privateer	.54	.55
Relief Arlington	.04	.05
Reno	.21	.25
Sally	.04	.07½
Salmon Gold		.03
Sheep Creek	.98	1.00
Silbak Premier	.70	.80
Taylor Bridge	.02½	
Vidette	.02	.08
Wellington	.01	
Whitewater	.01	.01½
Ymir Yankee Girl	.04½	.05½
Oils		
Amalgamated	.00½	.00¾
Anaconda	.03½	
Anglo-Canadian	.69	.74
A P Consolidated	.11½	
C & E Corporation	1.51	1.55
Calmont	.26	.29
Commonwealth	.20	.23
Dalhousie	.30	
Davies Petroleum	.13	
Eastcrest	.05	
Extens oil	.17	.20
Freehold	.02½	.02½
Firestone Petroleum	.06	
Foundation	.09	.11
Four Star		.10
Hargal	.17	
Highwood Sarcee	.11	.13
Home Oil	1.72	1.75
Madison		.03
Mar Jon	.01½	.01½
Mercury	.04	.05
McDougall Segur	.08	.10
Mill City	.04½	.05
Model		.20
Monarch	.07	
National Petroleum	.05	
Okalta	.86	.95
Pacific Petroleum		.28
Prairie Royalties	.16	.18
Royal Canadian	.15	.16
Royalite	.21	.23
Spooner	.04	
United Oil	.04½	
Vanalta	.04	.05
Industrials		
Capital Estates	1.00	1.35
Coast Breweries	1.15	1.20
International Coal & Coke	.37	.45
United Distillers	.75	

PRICES RISING IN MONTREAL MART

MONTREAL, May 16 (CP).—Quiet but steady buying on the stock market today improved prices fractions to 2 points.

St. Lawrence Paper Pfd. was up 2, Bathurst a point and Howard Smith, Price Brothers and St. Lawrence Corporation up fractions.

Nickel and Smelters gained 1 1-2 each, while Dosco and Canadian Car Pfd. were up 1 7-8 and 1 point, respectively.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS
(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Algoma Steel, Pfd	90	92
Assoc. Breweries, Com	15	16
Assoc. Breweries, Pfd	110	
Bathurst Paper	10	11
Building Products	15	15
Canada Northern Power	12	12
Canada Steamships	4	4
Canada Steamships, Pfd.	14	15
Canadian Alcohol "A"	2	
Can Car & Foundry	8	9
Can Car & Foundry, Pfd	18	18
Canadian Celanese, Pfd.		123
Canadian Converters	10	18
C P R., Com	5	5
Cockshutt Plow	5	6
Consolidated Smelters	34	35
Crown Cork		30
Distillers-Seagrams, Com	23	
Dominion Bridge	27	28
Dominion Coal, Pfd	19	20
Dominion Tar	4	5
Dominion Tar, Pfd	8[illegible]	
Dominion Textiles	82	88
Gatineau Power, Pfd		90
General Steelwares, Com	6	6
Hamilton Bridge	4	
Hollinger	11	11
Howard Smith	1[illegible]	1[illegible]
Howard Smith, Pfd	90	99
Hudson Bay M & S	[illegible]	4[illegible]
Intl. Nickel	31	3[illegible]
Intl Petroleum		20
Lake of the Woods	19	
Massey-Harris	3	4
Montreal Cottons, Pfd	110	120
Montreal Power	27	28
National Breweries	31	
National Steel Car	[illegible]	
Noranda	59	60
Ogilvies	27	27
Ottawa Power	11	13
Penmans	[illegible]	
Power Corpn	7	7
Price Bros	15	
Price Bros. Pfd.		72
Rolland Paper		16
St Lawrence Corpn., Pfd.	15	
St Lawrence Paper, Pfd	38	
Sherwin-Williams	10	1[illegible]
Steel of Canada	70	
Steel of Canada, Pfd	69	70
United Steel	4	4
Curb		
Abitibi	145	1[illegible]
Abitibi Pfd	9	9
Asbestos	18	19
Bathurst B	2	3
Brewers & Distillers	4	5
Canadian Sugar	32	32
Canadian Malting	32	38
Canadian Vinegars	4	
Canadian Breweries	1[illegible]	1[illegible]
Canadian Breweries, Pfd	24	26
Canadian Vickers	3	3
Commercial Alcohols	2	2
Consolidated Paper	[illegible]	5
Cub Aircraft	14	160
Donnacona A	[illegible]	6
Fairchild	3	3
Fleet Aircraft	[illegible]	
Ford "A"	16	18
Fraser Company	1[illegible]	
Massey-Harris, Pfd	37	
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd	97	99
Page Hersey	100	
Royalite Oil	21	
Hiram Walker	34	38
Hiram Walker, Pfd	18	19
Banks		
Bank of Commerce	160	165
Bank of Montreal	190	200
Banque Canadienne Nationale		162

London Stocks

LONDON, May 16 (AP)—British stock closings, in sterling:

Babcock & Wilcox, 40s; Celanese Corporation of America £6 1-2; Cent Mining, £12 1-2; Consol. Gold, 40s; Crown, £14 1-8; East Geduld, £10 3-4; Metal Box, Ltd., 71s 3d; Mexican Eagle, 4s 7 1-2d; Mining Trust, Ltd., 1s 9d; Rand, £7 1-2; Springs, 25s.

Bonds—British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £71 3-4; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £97 1-2; British Funding 4s, 1960-1990, £109.

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, May 16 (CP).—Spot Butter, Quebec (92 score), 23 1-8. Eggs, Eastern "A" large, 23 1-2 to 24. Butter futures: June, 23 1-4 to 23 5-8; November, 25 to 25 1-4.

ISLAND MOUNTAIN MINES

TORONTO, May 16 (CP).—Island Mountain Mines, Cariboo district estimated net operation profit for the first quarter of the present year at $85,295 from bullion production of $199,993. This compares with profit of $71,806 from production of $167,067 in the same period of 1939.

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	154	156
Brazilian T L & P	6	6½
B A Oil	18½	19
B C Power A	25½	26
Canadian Pacific	5½	5¾
Con. Mining & Smelting	33	
Dominion Bridge	26½	27
Fanny Farmer	22	
Ford A	16	18
Goodyear Tire, Com.		80
Goodyear Tire, Pfd		56
Gatineau Power, Pfd	90	
Hiram Walker G & W	35	35½
Hiram Walker G & W Pfd.	18½	19
Imperial Oil	12½	12½
Imperial Tobacco	14	14½
Intl. Nickel	31	31½
Intl Petroleum	19½	20
Loblaw Groc. A	24	26
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	97	99
Montreal Power, Com.	27½	28
Royalite Oil	21	25
Shawinigan W & P	17	17½
Steel of Canada	70	
Bralorne	8 60	9 00
Dome	20½	20½
Hollinger Cons.	11½	12
Lakeshore	21	21½
McIntyre Porcupine	46	47
Noranda	59	
Pickle Crow	2 70	2 75
Premier	90	1 00
Wright-Hargreaves	6 00	6 05
Bank of Montreal	190	208
Royal Bank		170

BONUS DIVIDEND

MONTREAL, May 16 (CP).—Directors of Asbestos Corporation, Limited, declared today a bonus dividend of 15 cents in addition to the regular of 15 cents, both payable June 30 to shareholders of record June 15.

ONTARIO FIRM GIVEN LICENCE

British Columbia Incorporations Are Active During Present Week

H. J. Heinz Company of Canada, Ltd., was freshly incorporated in British Columbia this week, as an extra-provincial concern with authorized share capital at $8,000,000. The headquarters is at Leamington, Ont., and registered offices in this province at Vancouver. Other incorporations were listed as follows:

SOCIETIES FORMED

Victoria Contractors' Association, under Societies Act, at Victoria.

Cumberland and District Co-operative Association, at Cumberland.

Sunbury Community Club, under Societies Act, at Sunbury.

Nanaimo Aquatic Club, under Societies Act, at Nanaimo.

COMPANIES' LIST

Blenheim Pharmacy, Ltd., $10,000, Vancouver.

O'Connor, Galloway Sales, Ltd., $10,000, Vancouver.

Mayfair Hotel Company, Ltd., $25,000, Kelowna.

Country Life, Ltd., $10,000, Vernon.

National Construction & Fixture Company, Ltd., $10,000, Vancouver.

Penisaver Stores, Ltd., $10,000, Vancouver.

Mandarin Gardens (1940), Ltd., $10,000, Vancouver.

King Agencies, Ltd., $25,000, Vancouver.

Oak Bay Investments, Ltd., $25,000, Vancouver.

At Skidegate, the Skidegate Mission Credit Union was formed under the Credit Unions Act.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

OTTAWA, May 16 (CP). — Official Foreign Exchange Control Board rates unchanged at: U.S. dollars, buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium. Equivalent discounts on Canadian dollars in New York: Buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

Sterling, in Canadian funds: Buying $4.43, selling $4.47.

WEST CANADIAN HYDRO ELECTRIC CORPORATION LIMITED

DIVIDEND NOTICES

Preferred Dividend No. 8

TAKE notice that the regular quarterly dividend of 20c per share on the outstanding Cumulative Preference shares of the Company for the three months' period ending May 31st, 1940, has been declared as Dividend No. 8 payable June 1st, 1940, to shareholders of record at the close of business May 20th, 1940. Notice is further given that the Share Register will be closed for transfers from May 21st, 1940, to May 24th, 1940, both dates inclusive.

Class "B" Interim Dividend No. 3

ALSO take notice that a Dividend of 5c per share on the outstanding Class "B" Common Shares of the Company for the 6 months ended May 31st, 1940, has been declared as Interim Dividend No. 3 payable June 1st, 1940, to shareholders of record at the close of business May 20th, 1940. Notice is further given that the Share Register will be closed for transfers from May 21st, 1940, to May 24th, 1940, both dates inclusive.

By Order of the Board.
W. T. HAYNES, Secretary.
Vancouver, B.C., May 15th, 1940.

FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, May 16 (CP)—British and foreign exchange, nominal rates between banks only: Argentina, peso, .2539; China, Hongkong dollars, .2226; France, franc, .020489; Great Britain, pound, 4.43 and 4.47; Italy, lire, .0561; Japan, yen, .2605; Sweden, krone, .2647; Switzerland, franc, .2381.

BAR SILVER

LONDON, May 16 (AP)—Bar silver, 23 1-2d, up 7-16. (Equivalent 42.61 cents on the dollar basis $4.03.) Bar gold, 168s, unchanged.

NEW YORK, May 16 (AP)—Bar silver, 34 3-4, unchanged.

MONTREAL, May 16 (CP)—Silver futures closed unchanged today. No sales. Bid: May, 37.75.

4 ROUND TRIPS
Between
VICTORIA
and
NANAIMO

EVERY SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, AND ON MAY 24, JULY 1 AND SEPTEMBER 2

BUS SCHEDULE
EFFECTIVE MAY 24, 1940

NORTHBOUND—Read Down Daily A.M.	Daily P.M.	SSO P.M.	Daily P.M.			SOUTHBOUND—Read Up Daily A.M.	Daily P.M.	SSO P.M.	Daily P.M.
9 15	1 30	3:00	6 30	Lv	VICTORIA Ar.	11.20	4 50	9.40	11.50
9.35	1.50	3.20	6 50		LANGFORD	11.00	4 25	9.15	11.25
10.15	2.30	3.50	7.20		MALAHAT	10.30	4 05	8 55	11.10
10.30	2 40	4 00	7 30		MILL BAY	10.20	3 45	8 35	10.50
10 40	2 50	4 10	7 40		COBBLE HILL	10 10	3 35	8 25	10.40
10 50	3.00	4 20	7.50		COWICHAN B.	9.55	3 25	8 15	10 30
11 00	3 10	4 30	8 00		KOKSILAH	9 50	3 15	8.05	10.20
11 15	3 25	4 45	8 20		DUNCAN	9 45	3 10	8 00	10 15
11 35	3 45	5 10	8 40		WESTHOLME	9 10	2 40	7 35	9 45
11 45	3 55	5 25	8 55		CHEMAINUS	8 55	2.30	7 25	9 35
12.00	4 10	5.40	9.10		LADYSMITH	8 35	2 10	7 05	9 20
12 15	4 25	5 55	9 25		CASSIDY	8 15	1 55	6 45	9 00
12 35	4 45	6 15	9 45	Ar	NANAIMO Lv	8 00	1 40	6 30	8 45

Saturdays and Sundays only. Also May 24, July 1 and September 2

NOTE—Special bus leaves Duncan at 6 P.M. for Nanaimo, Saturdays only. Returning, leaves Nanaimo 11.59 P.M.

ALL TRIPS VIA MALAHAT

MAY 24 . . . WEEK-END FARES

FROM AND TO ALL VANCOUVER ISLAND POINTS (Subject to Minimum)
GOOD GOING Any Trip THURSDAY, MAY 23, Until the Last Trip on SUNDAY, MAY 26
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CHAPTER V

"I simply went up in the air, I wouldn't hear of it! It meant scandal and talk, and breaking mother's heart. We had a terrible discussion which left me almost fainting, and I went back to the library not knowing what was going on. For two or three days I was in a daze. The telephone made me jump; every step in the library made me jump. And when the hours went by, and the hours went by, and there was no message, I knew that I simply had to see him again—I couldn't live without one more talk, just one more. And after that I'd be sensible and try to forget him, and never see him again.

"That was all in Sacramento?"

"Oh yes. I was alone. Perhaps it I'd been home—. Well, anyway, in May we had terrific rains. Rain slashed against the library windows. I had a line of school children filing up to the desk when I saw Tony. He was sitting in a big leather chair near the door; he had on a light raincoat that was spattered, and his hair was spattered, too.

"I began to tremble. I didn't dare look again. I was going to hear his voice again, to have a chance to talk to him again. That was all that mattered. It was half past five, and I left the desk.

"'Got your raincoat and rubbers?' he said, and I said yes. 'Then come on,' he said, 'we'll walk.' That was all. We walked out together, and it was heaven.

"We didn't talk much. But I knew he was as happy as I was. After a while he said, 'Nearly seven! Let's eat. How'd you like to get dinner?' I said, 'Where-' He said we'd buy it first, and we bought—oh, ridiculous things. Sweet butter and caviar and crackers and a little fat steak and asparagus and everything. Then we got into a cab and went—not very far—to a four-apartment house, and he quite naturally unlocked one apartment, and everything was there. Flowers, and a fire laid; he said he'd had a Japanese boy there all afternoon; that he came so often to Sacramento it paid him to have a little place of his own.

"He wasn't affectionate; there was nothing scary about it. He acted as if it was just an adventure, and I felt that way, too, that it was all fun. I didn't feel sentimental or nervous.

"Tony's a marvelous cook; he was plastering mustard on the steak and making coffee in no time. The table was set by the fire, and we were terribly happy. We were deliciously alone, and for the first time! Tony asked me if I'd like to go to a picture, and I laughed in his face, and he laughed, too. There wasn't any picture in the world that would tempt me away from that fire and from our talk. Quite suddenly, about ten, he jumped up and said he must take me home. And oh, Gwen, but I was happy that night! Happier than I ever will be again, as long as I live!"

"Ah, Sheila, don't say that!"

"It's true. Not that," Sheila assured her sister, smiling, "not that I don't expect to have plenty of happiness in my life. Children and travel—and Link, who is the finest man I ever knew. But that sort of happiness won't come again. Trusting Tony, and feeling that we could have so much and yet be so safe! Confident in myself. I was equal—more than equal—to this situation that so many women had made such a failure! I could manage men, even when they worshipped me. And it would all come back to me—I lay awake all night—how much he did worship me.

"The next Sunday but one I wired mother that I had to stay at the library and couldn't get home for Sunday night and told Mrs. Keane that I was going home as usual. That was all there was to it. In my mind I said that I'd be back at the boarding house that Sunday night, of course. And even if I didn't come home I knew I could send Tony off to the hotel, so there was nothing to worry about.

"Well, Tony and I took our lunch off into the country and had a wonderful day. And when I was all tired and dusty and sunburned he said that he had a little supper sent in to the apartment—cold chicken and stuffed eggs—and a salad. Why wouldn't I come and freshen up there? We could have a bite of supper, and talk as we had talked before.

"I don't know why—but I didn't suggest his going to a hotel; I didn't suggest his going to a hotel; I didn't suggest anything.

"And it was only that Summer, June—when we'd had perhaps five or six of those little stolen suppers—that the blow came. Little Rand was all smashed up in a motor wreck. Of course his mother wasn't hurt and Margot wasn't hurt. If Tonia's wife had been killed! But it was his boy who needed him. Tony lived for eleven weeks in the hospital, and then took him to Arizona, and when I saw Tony again, I had been offered a better job here. We met almost like strangers, we talked like sthangers. How was the poor little boy, and how was I, and was it true that I was to be librarian here?"

"I remember when you did come home in September, Sheila, you were so ill. You couldn't eat anything. Auto-intoxication, remember?"

"That wasn't auto-intoxication. That was heartbreak. Or, no, it wasn't heartbreak," Sheila said slowly. Her lips trembling, her face wet with tears. Gwen held tightly to her hand; there seemed to be nothing to say.

"It's selfishness to have told you this," Sheila presently said. "I don't know why I did. Except perhaps that I wanted you to tell me that you think I was right not to tell Link. I want to be absolutely honest with Link, Gwen, I want to begin that way. But it isn't anyone's business but my own—don't you agree with me? I'm not prying into Link's past life; I'm taking him for what he is today."

"But Sheila, he knows—Tony Lamont knows. What if he ever—?"

"Oh, not no man, especially if he's a gentleman, and proud, like Tony, would ever tell a story like that," Sheila said confidently. "No, that part of it's safe enough. I wrote him very carefully; I never signed my letters. Are you sorry I told you, darling?" she finished in sudden compunction. "Would you rather I hadn't? It seemed to me it would be easier if somebody knew."

"No, no, I'm glad to know," Gwen said slowly. She was trembling inwardly, but Sheila mustn't see it; not on this last night at home; this wedding eve.

(To Be Continued.)

"BRITANNIA RULES . . ."

Britannia, as the saying goes, rules the waves—a thought that was perpetrated and given popular currency in that exact language by the eighteenth century English poet, James Thomson, in his work "Alfred," in the lines:

"When Britain first, at Heaven's command,
Arose from out the azure main,
This was the charter of her land,
And guardian angels sung the strain:
Rule Britannia! Britannia rules waves!
Britons never shall be slaves."

Which reminds us of this tidbit on British possessiveness narrated by Flora Annie Steel in her work "The Garden of Fidelity":

While the captured German fleet lay in Scapa Flow, an English quartermaster was posted on each vessel. To one of these, leaning over the taffrail, came a German quartermaster.

"I sinks nosing of your ships," quoth he. The Englishman did not reply. "And I sinks nosing of your officers, your' Jellicoes, your Beattys . . . " Overcome by his feelings, the German spat over the rail. Whereupon the Englishman turned and said calmly:

"Now! Look 'ere. I don't care wot you thinks about our ships, our sailors, and our officers. But don't you go spittin' into our sea!"

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THRILLING

In the kitchen the boy evacuee stood watching the lady of the house trying out her new recipe.

Picking up her cookery book, she read intently for some time, then, placing it back on the table, proceeded to mix the ingredients.

Stirring the mixture for some time, she hesitated, and then, picking up the book, read again.

This process of mixing and reading was watched with mixed feelings from the doorway, and at last the boy blurted out:

"Gosh! Missie, that sure must be an exciting story!"

FLYIN' JENNY — *Love Oneself* — By Russell Keaton

MUTT AND JEFF — *It's a Good Thing Elephants Can't Fly* — By Bud Fisher

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY — By Dale Allen

MORTIMER AND CHARLIE — *Big Hearted* — By Edgar Bergen

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LIFE'S LIKE THAT — By Fred Neher

"Poor Mrs. Hazel's laryngitis must be bothering her again . . . . He's been in the house twenty minutes and I haven't heard a sound!"

POPEYE

POP — *Gone With the Winged* — By J. Millar Watt

BLONDIE — *That's What You Think* — By Chic Young

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The Daily Colonist

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HODGINS—At Vancouver, B.C., May 16, to the wife of T. D. H. Hodgins, a son.

ALLAN—To Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Allan, 1330 Yates Street, at St. Joseph's Hospital, on May 14, a son.

SPOUSE—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on May 13, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Spouse, 915 Bank Street, a daughter.

SLATER—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on May 16, to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Slater (nee Aileen Grubb), 1671 Neil Street, a daughter.

CONWAY—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on May 13, to Mr. and Mrs. F. Conway, 107 Regina Avenue (nee Jean Stanhope), a son, Edward William.

2 DEATHS

ARNOTH—At the Naval Dockyard, on May 14, 1940, Nels Arnoth, formerly of Prince Rupert, B.C., in his fifty-fifth year; born in Hardanger, Norway.
Funeral this afternoon, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 1.30, proceeding to St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, Esquimalt, where service will be conducted at 2 o'clock. Interment in the Naval Cemetery.

BROWN—On Wednesday, May 15, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Jessie W. Brown, wife of Robert S. Brown, of Kilber Avenue, Mount Tolmie. The late Mrs. Brown was born in Glasgow, Scotland, and had been a resident here for twenty-four years. She is survived by, besides her husband, two sisters, in Fort William, Scotland.
The remains are resting at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, where services will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

DOULL—At St. Joseph's Hospital on Monday, May 13, Mrs. Margaret Ann Doull, of 439 Quebec Street. The late Mrs. Doull was born in Scotland and had been a resident of this city for the past ten years. She is mourned by two sons, Robert, with whom she resided, and Alexander Campbell Doull, of Saskatoon, Sask., and five daughters, Mrs. W. Parr, of Vancouver, Mrs. J. Davis, Mrs. D. Ball, Misses Lorraine and Eleanor Doull, all of Victoria.
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"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT"
(Section 28)
Notice of Application for a Club Licence

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 15th day of June next the undersigned British Imperial Comrades' Association intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a club licence in respect of premises situate at No. 738 Pleasant Street, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, upon lands described as Lot No. T.L.998—Victoria City Land Registration District. In the Province of British Columbia, to entitle each member of the said club to keep on the premises a reasonable quantity of liquor for personal consumption on the premises, in accordance with the provisions of the "Government Liquor Act" and the regulations promulgated thereunder.
Dated this 13th day of May, A.D. 1940.
BRITISH IMPERIAL COMRADES ASSOCIATION,
J. Sibbald,
Solicitor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
HENRY WEBSTER, Deceased
ALL persons having claims on the estate of Henry Webster, late of 38 Dallas Avenue, Victoria, B.C., retired civil servant, who died on or about 15th March, 1940, and whose will has been proved in the Supreme Court of British Columbia (Victoria Registry) by Helen Marion Kelly as Executrix, are required to deliver written particulars of their claims to the undersigned solicitors for said executrix, before 20th day of June, 1940, after which date the executrix will distribute the estate having regard only to claims of which she then has notice, and will not thereafter be responsible for any others.
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Five-room bungalow, very high. Views, rock garden. Low taxes. Price asked $2500
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One-acre lots, facing south and with 100 feet of beach. These lots are in one of North Saanich's nicest subdivisions. Only eight remaining, and Summer is practically here. Quick action is necessary if you want your choice.
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LATEST MODERNISTIC BUNGALOW
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A Charming Home of 5 Rooms Complete With Linen, Blinds, Fixtures
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Eight Rooms, Bathroom, Full Cement Basement, Furnace, Tubs, Garage
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By JAS. W. BARTON, M.D.

Just as there is a cause for every case of overweight — eating too much, not enough exercise, some gland disturbance—so there is a cause for every case of underweight, although this cause may be very difficult to find.

That certain tendencies toward overweight and underweight are handed down from parents to children is true, although some of these tendencies may be really habits—big or small appetite, under or over-activity.

The first thought in trying to find the cause of underweight is to learn the amount of food eaten, the amount of rest or sleep, and the amount of physical exercise or work during the twenty-four hours. If enough food is eaten, enough rest obtained, and the amount of work or exercise is not heavy or prolonged, then there is some underlying cause and it should be sought until it is found.

One of the commonest causes of underweight in adults and children is some low infection—teeth, tonsils, sinus, intestine. Notwithstanding that infection causes lack of desire to work or exercise, and increases the number of sleeping and resting hours, its general effect is to cause a loss of weight because the food eaten and energy thus obtained is used up by the demands of the infection upon the blood and the body tissues. In addition, much of the poison from infection finds its way to the large bowel and remains there, the effect of which is to interfere with digestion and the appetite for food.

Loss of appetite is often due to a lack of vitamins in the food, particularly vitamin B or B_1. Fortunately this vitamin is found in sufficient quantity in milk which is fortunate for babies and children.

Another mistake made by adults and children is the eating of food while disturbed mentally or emotionally. A tired or upset youngster cannot enjoy or digest his food.

"Fear, anxiety and anger play important roles and may produce sufficient interference with the appetite and digestion to cause malnutrition or underweight. Many cases of extreme loss to appetite are due to some emotional conflict that the individual has been unable to solve."

However, even when sufficient food is eaten made up of all the necessary foodstuffs, proteins (meat, eggs, fish, cereals), fats (butter, cream, egg yolk), starches (bread, potatoes, sugar), and the various dairy products, fruits, vegetables, minerals and vitamins, something more is necessary if the individual is to get the "good," the "nourishment" from the food eaten. It must be absorbed into the blood.

It is often stated that you can lead a horse to water, but you cannot make him drink. Similarly, a youngster or adult may eat the right amount of food and yet not get the nourishment from them to give strength and normal weight.

When the food reaches the stomach, it is met by the digestive juice of the stomach—gastric juice. The amount of hydrochloric acid in this gastric juice may be below normal simply because the parent of the individual had this same efficiency in hydrochloric acid and has handed down this tendency.

When the food leaves the stomach and enters the small intestine it is met by three more juices, the pancreatic juice from the pancreas, the bile from the liver and gall bladder and the juice of the intestine itself. Here again there may be some hereditary tendencies or personal emotional conditions that upset the action of these digestive juices so that the food is not acted upon fully and may pass down the small intestine to large intestine without having the good absorbed from it into the blood.

Two of the causes of underweight that may be overlooked are pointed out by Dr. N. P. Shumay, Philadelphia, in Medical Clinics of North America. These are physical over-activity of the individual and increased activity of the body processes due to an over-active thyroid gland.

Fortunately, with the great majority of underweights, more rest day and night, less physical activity, less emotional disturbance at meal hours, and an all round diet will increase the weight.

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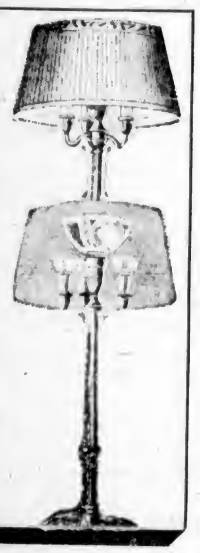

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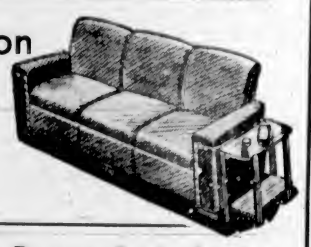

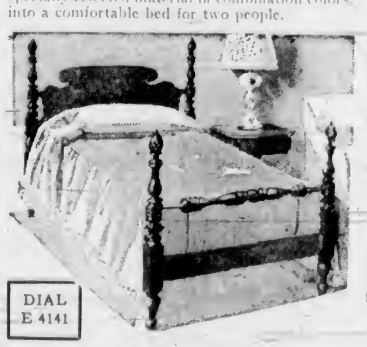

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Today it may be much easier to make promises than to refuse them, but it might be well to weigh them carefully before you say yes or no. Only through discussing the pros and cons to each subject that is worthy of serious consideration, can the right decision be made. You will have to be open-minded today if your judgment is to be unhampered by some preconceived notions that you may have. Adjust yourself to existing conditions today, and act in accordance with them, rather than by rules made in the past or out-moded customs. This is an inauspicious day to question anyone's sincerity, word or honesty, so be very careful in this respect. Charges are apt to bring about counter-charges today, and many acrimonious discussions that are likely to lead to nothing constructive being accomplished. Married and engaged couples, and those who are headed towards the goal of their matrimonial aspirations, will have to view things in a very practical light today, if they do not want to run the chance of being unreasonable or unduly demanding.

If a woman and May 17 is your birthday you are probably the personification of all the womanly graces, and have the attributes that will endear you to all with whom you come into daily contact. Children and animals ought to instinctively trust you. Having a romantic nature may make you have matchmaking proclivities, and a fondness for books and plays of a decidedly sentimental nature. As a kindergarten teacher, personal director, author, actress, lecturer, demonstrator, office worker, secretary, librarian, or engaged on your own account in some highly specialized commercial line of business, your financial problems may be solved, and a fine reputation established.

The child born on May 17 needs only the proper guidance to develop both mentally and physically in a manner that should be highly gratifying to its parents. Many golden opportunities are likely to come this youngster's way as soon as it passes through the period of adolescence.

If a man and May 17 is your natal day "make it thy business to know thyself, which is the most difficult lesson in the world: correct your shortcomings and strengthen your resolutions; and your progress towards the goal of success should be most gratifying. You may have a decided talent for politics, writing, promoting, financing, acting, selling, managerial work, or some very artistic line of endeavor.

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"Jones," he stormed, "you're a fool!"

Surprised, the man put down his can and looked at his employer questioningly.

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"Well," said the puzzled milkman, "she was tellin' me as 'ow the milk was thin an' 'ad got no cream on it—"

"Yes, and you, like a blithering idiot, told her it was as right as rain."